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FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 3, 1866.

Whitehall, June 30, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to declare and ordain that His Serene Highness Prince Frederic Christian Charles Augustus, of Sleswig-Holstein Sonderbourg Augustenbourg, shall henceforth, upon all occasions whatsoever, be styled and called "His Royal Highness," before his name, and such titles as now do, or hereafter may belong to him:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, July 2, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir James Matheson, Bart., to be Lieutenant and Sheriff-Principal of the shire of Ross, in the room of Colonel Hugh Duncan Baillie, deceased.

Whitehall, July 2, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Most Noble George Douglas, Duke of Argyll, K.T.; Sir Roderick Impey Murchison, Bart., K.C.B.; Sir William George Armstrong, Knt., C.B.; Henry Hussey Vivian, Esq.; George Thomas Clark, Esq.; Joseph Dickinson, Esq.; George Elliot, Esq.; Thomas Emerson Forster, Esq.; John Geddes, Esq.; Robert Hunt, Esq.; John Beete Jukes, Esq.; John Hartley, Esq; John Percy, Esq., Doctor of Medicine; Joseph Prestwich, Esq.; Andrew Crombie Ramsay,

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Esq.; and John Thomas Woodhouse, Esq.; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to investigate the probable quantity of coal contained in the coal fields of the United Kingdom, and to report on the quantity of such coal which may be reasonably expected to be available for use:

Whether it is probable that coal exists, at workable depths, under the Permian, New Red Sandstone, and other superincumbent strata:

To inquire as to the quantity of coal at present consumed in the various branches of manufacture, for steam navigation, and for domestic purposes, as well as the quantity exported; and how far, and to what extent, such consumption and export may be expected to increase; and whether there is reason to believe that coal is wasted, either by bad working or by carelessness or neglect of proper appliances for its economical consumption.

Whitehall, July 2, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Abel Bremage Spratt, C.B., Captain in Her Majesty's Navy, to be one of the Special Commissioners for English Fisheries, in the room of Rear-Admiral Wallace Houstoun, resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Thomas Abel Bremage Spratt, C.B., Captain in Her Majesty's Navy, to be one of the Special Commissioners for Irish Fisheries, in the room of Rear-Admiral Wallace Houstoun, resigned.

Whitehall, July 2, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Henry Alexander Fairlie to the church and parish of Kirkmichael, in the presbytery and county of Ayr, vacant by the death of the Reverend John McEwen.

Foreign Office, June 21, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint James Hay Wodehouse, Esq, now Her Majesty's Consul at Parà, to be Her Majesty's Commissioner and Consul-General in the Sandwich Islands.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint James De Vismes Drummond-Hay, Esq., C.B., now British Vice-Consul at Rabat and Sallee, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Parà.

Foreign Office, June 25, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Wilthew, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Islay, to be Her Majesty's Consul at the Island of St. Croix.

Foreign Office, June 26, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Strachey, Esq., now a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Buenos Ayres.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Stewart Scott, Esq., now a Third Secretary, to be a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Foreign Office, June 29, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. August Wehner as Consul-General in London for His Majesty the King of Hanover.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of M. Adalbert Kruge as Consul at Melbourne for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of

M. Anton Tange as Consul at Sydney for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Hastings Hicks as Consul at Madras for the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg.

Downing Street, June 30, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Honourable Arthur Hamilton Gordon, C.M.G. (now Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of New Brunswick), to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Trinidad and its dependencies.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Charles Frederick Rothery, Esq., to be Assistant Justice of the General Court of the Bahama Islands.

Crown Office, July 2, 1866.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Hertford.

Robert Dimsdale, of Essendon-place, in the county of Hertford, Esq., in the room of Sir Walter Minto Townsend Farquhar, Bart., deceased.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 2, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's

Consul-General at Venice, transmitting a Notification, of which a copy is subjoined :—

(Translation.)

I. R. Maritime Port and Health Office.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

His Excellency Baron Alemann, the I. R. Military Governor of Venice, has directed that at the first appearance in these waters of enemies' ships of war the barricades of the port be closed. not to be again opened till the circumstances of the war permit.

When that will be is not known, but as by the preceding order, rendered necessary by a regard to fortification, the ingress and egress of the port will be interdicted, mariners are informed thereof in order that they may take in time those measures which they may deem expedient for their interest.

Venice, the 24th June, 1866.

The I. R. Captain of the Port,
(Signed) V. PIOLA.

War Office, Pall Mall,
3rd July, 1866.

BREVET.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint His Royal Highness Prince Frederic Christian Charles Augustus of Schleswig-Holstein to be Major-General in the Army.

War Office, Pall Mall,
3rd July, 1866.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

Ensign Edward Wilmot Williams, from 7th Foot, Acting Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General,

to be Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Dated 4th June, 1866.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend George Dacre, M.A., Chaplain of the Second Class, to be Chaplain of the First Class. Dated 16th May, 1866.

The Reverend T. H. M. Bartlett, M.A., Chaplain of the Second Class, to be Chaplain of the First Class. Dated 17th May, 1866.

The Reverend Henry Hare, B.A., Chaplain of the Third Class, to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 16th May, 1866.

Admiralty, 25th June, 1866.

Dr. William Macleod, Staff Surgeon, has this day been promoted to the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets.

Admiralty, 28th June, 1866.

The undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants and Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been this day promoted to be Lieutenants and Acting Lieutenants:—

Mr. Yarborough Francis Henry Parker.
Mr. Cecil Montague Turnor.
Mr. Thomas James (Acting).
Mr. Oswald Peploe Tudor.
Mr. Charles John Hives (Acting).
Mr. Richard Henry Byron.
Mr. Robert Clarke Jolliffe.
Mr. Gilbert Vallancey Story.
Mr. Charles Philip Giffin Hicks.
Mr. John Loftus Wilson.
Mr. Arthur George Fullerton.
Mr. Albert John O'Rorke.
Mr. Herbert Frederick Gye.

Mr. William Frederick Arthur Hamilton Russell
Mr. Edward Burrard Boyle.
Mr. John Hugh Bainbridge.
Mr. Alexander de Castro Crawford (Acting).
Mr. Westropp Thomas Morgan.
Mr. Eustace Brooke (Acting).
Mr. Frederick John Rendell.
Mr. William Sherbrooke.
Mr. Georges Crofton Collingwood Carter.
Mr. Charles Raymond Pelly.
Mr. Thomas Hyacinth Dickson.
Mr. Charles Thomas Farquhar Hodgkinson.

Admiralty, 30*th June*, 1866.

Commander Samuel Brooking Dolling has been promoted to be Retired Captain, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866.

The undermentioned Second Masters have been this day promoted to the rank of Master in Her Majesty's Fleet ; viz. :—

James Blake Walker, Esq.
William Henry Purvis, Esq
Edmond Henry Carter Smith, Esq.
William Joseph Hooper, Esq.
John Edwards, Esq.
Charley William McConachy, Esq.
Herbert Dyer Walker, Esq.
George White, Esq.
Charles Love, Esq.
Silas Hiscutt Liddell, Esq.
Vincent Holmes Lys, Esq. (Acting).
Edward Kentish Barnes, Esq.

Admiralty, 2nd July, 1866.

Doctor William Thomas Domville has this day been promoted to the rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets, with Seniority of 24th June, 1866.

The Reverend John Robert McWilliams Bampfield has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, *and County of the City of* Chester.

1st Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia.

Lieutenant George Henry Wildes to be Captain, vice Tollemache, promoted. Dated 25th June, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

West Essex Militia.

Lieutenant Edgar Bury to be Captain, vice Bridges, resigned. Dated 25th May, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, *and the Borough of* Kingston-upon-Hull.

East and North York Artillery Militia.

First Lieutenant John William Bain Hawkesworth to be Captain, vice Woodall, promoted. Dated 12th June, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 6, 1866.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 6th day of *July*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, the Most Noble Richard Plantagenet Campbell Temple Nugent Brydges Chandos, Duke of Buckingham and Chandos; the Right Honourable Henry Howard Molyneux, Earl of Carnarvon; Robert Arthur Talbot Cecil, Esquire (commonly called Viscount Cranborne); Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Baronet, and Gathorne Hardy, Esquire, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their respective places at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Most Noble Richard Plantagenet Campbell Temple Nugent Brydges Chandos, Duke of Buckingham and Chandos, Lord President of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and his Grace took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to deliver the Great Seal to the Right Honourable Frederic Lord Chelmsford, whereupon the oath of Lord Chancellor of Great Britain was, by Her Majesty's command, administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty having been pleased to deliver the

custody of the Privy Seal to the Right Honourable James Howard, Earl of Malmesbury, the oath of Keeper of the Privy Seal was this day administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Henry Howard Molyneux, Earl of Carnarvon; the Right Honourable Robert Arthur Talbot Cecil (commonly called Viscount Cranborne); the Right Honourable Edward Henry Stanley (commonly called Lord Stanley); the Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole; and the Right Honourable Jonathan Peel, to be Her Majesty's Five Principal Secretaries of State, they were this day, by Her Majesty's command, sworn Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

Her Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli, Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of Her Majesty's Exchequer, the usual oath was this day administered to him.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Most Honourable James, Marquess of Abercorn, K.G., Lieutenant-General and General Governor of that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Baronet, President of the Committee of Council for Trade.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 6th day of *July*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, the Right Honourable Henry Bouverie William Brand, was, by Her Majesty's

command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 6th day of *July*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint John Hall, Esquire, of Saint Peter's College, Cambridge, B A., to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

Windsor Castle, July 5, 1866.

Her Royal Highness the Princess Christian of Schleswig Holstein (Princess Helena of Great Britain and Ireland) has been pleased to appoint the Lady Susan Leslie-Melville to be Lady of the Bedchamber, and the Lady Edward Cavendish to be Honorary Lady of the Bedchamber to Her Royal Highness.

Windsor Castle, July 5, 1866.

His Royal Highness the Prince Christian of Schleswig Holstein has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel George Grant Gordon to be Equerry to His Royal Highness.

Windsor Castle, July 5, 1866.

Their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig Holstein have been pleased to appoint Gardner Dillman Engleheart, Esq., to be Treasurer to their Royal Highnesses.

Whitehall, July 5, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of an Earl of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, unto Richard, Baron Cremorne, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, K.P., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Earl of Dartrey, of Dartrey, in the county of Monaghan.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, unto Charles Stanley, Viscount Monck, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, Governor-General of all Her Majesty's Provinces in North America, and of the Island of Prince Edward, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Monck, of Ballytrammon, in the county of Wexford.

War Office, June 12, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of His Serene Highness Francis Paul Charles Louis Alexander, Prince of Teck, to be an Honorary Member of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

War Office, July 6, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the Right Honourable Sir Andrew Buchanan, K.C.B., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of All the Russias ; Lord Augustus

William Frederick Spencer Loftus, K.C.B., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the King of Prussia; and Sir Arthur Charles Magenis, K.C.B., late Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the King of Portugal, to be Extra Members of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:—Sir James Clark, Bart., M.D., one of the Physicians in Ordinary to Her Majesty; Thomas Erskine May, Esq., C.B., Clerk Assistant of the House of Commons; and Charles Pressly, Esq., C.B., late Chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Order:—and James Booth, Esq., late one of the Secretaries to the Board of Trade, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order.

Foreign Office, June 26, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Lyons McLeod, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Districts bordering on the Rivers Niger and Chadda.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Manuel Williams, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Seville.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Edward Story Hewitt, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Islay.

Whitehall, July 6, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto William Earle Tyndale, of Holton Park, in

the county of Oxford, Esquire, in the Commission of the Peace, and a Deputy Lieutenant for the said county, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of Elisha Biscoe, of Holton Park aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, henceforth take and use the surname of Biscoe only, and bear the arms of Biscoe quarterly with those of Tyndale, and that such surname and arms may in like manner be taken, borne, and used by his issue; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War Office, Pall Mall,
6th July, 1866.

3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards.

Major-General R. Richardson Robertson, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir John Scott, K.C.B., transferred to 7th Hussars. Dated 17th June, 1866.

7th Regiment of Hussars.

Lieutenant-General Sir John Scott, K.C.B., from 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be Colonel, vice General the Earl of Rosslyn, deceased. Dated 17th June, 1866.

45th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Thomas Armstrong Drought to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General (with the

local rank of General in Ireland) the Right Honourable Sir Hugh H. Rose, G.C.B., transferred to 92nd Foot. Dated 25th June, 1866.

92nd Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General (with local rank of General in Ireland) the Right Honourable Sir Hugh H. Rose, G.C B., from 45th Foot, to be Colonel, vice General Sir John Macdonald, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 25th June, 1866.

Admiralty, 3rd July, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Henry Gritton to be First Lieutenant, vice Despard, resigned. Dated 28th June, 1866.

Admiralty, 3rd July, 1866.

With reference to the London Gazette of the 29th ultimo, the seniority of Commander Theophilus Moultrie Kelsall will date from the 11th April, 1866, instead of the 26th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Davies Sanders to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet ; viz. : —

Edward Phelan Forrest, Esq.
Henry Fegan, Esq., M.D.
George William John Sutherland, Esq.

Admiralty, 4th July, 1866.

The following promotions have this day been made : —

John Davidson, Esq., M.D., to be Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets.

Alexander Vernon Maccall, Esq., to be Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Edmund Turnor, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th June, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Flint.

Thomas Hanmer Wynne, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 25th May, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 10, 1866.

Whitehall, July 7, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the undermentioned Gentlemen, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten ; viz. : —

Dudley Coutts Marjoribanks, of Guisachan, in the county of Inverness, Esq.

Henry John Ingilby, of Ripley, in the West Riding of the county of York, and of Harrington, in the county of Lincoln, Clerk.

John Ennis, of Ballinahown Court, in the county of Westmeath, Esq.

Pryse Pryse, of Gogerddan, in the county of Cardigan, Esq.

Charles Henry Tempest, of Heaton, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Esq.
Edward St. Aubyn, of St. Michael's Mount, in the county of Cornwall, Esq.

Whitehall, July 9, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Rear-Admiral Sir Adolphus Slade, K.C.B., who is actually and entirely employed in the service of His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, beyond the Queen's dominions, Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Second Class of His Imperial Majesty's Order of the Osmanieh, which the Sultan hath been pleased to confer upon him.

Whitehall, July 9, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Mortimer William Ford, B.A., to the Vicarage of Yarcombe, in the county of Devon, and diocese of Exeter, vacant by the death of the Reverend Percy Gilpin.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Reverend Hugh Reginald Haweis, M.A., to the Ministry of St. James's Chapel, in the parish of St. Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, and diocese of London, vacant by the death of the Reverend George Evezard.

Foreign Office, July 6, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John MacKail as Consul at King George's Sound, West Australia, for the Free Hanseatic City of Hamburg.

War Office, Pall Mall,
10th July, 1866.

1*st Regiment of Dragoon Guards*, Robert de Mowbray Darnell, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Andrew Henry Blake, who retires. Dated 10th July, 1866.

6*th Dragoon Guards*, Captain Henry Samuel Hall, from the 32nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Swiney, who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866.

7*th Dragoon Guards*, Croxton Scutt Johnson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Archibald Spiers McRae, whose appointment on the 22nd May, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 10th July, 1866.

8*th Hussars*, Cornet William Henry Field to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas Coates, who retires. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Alan Osman Ricardo, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Field. Dated 10th July, 1866.

James Martin McCalmont, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Sydney Hooper, who retires. Dated 11th July, 1866.

11*th Hussars*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Charles Edward Smith, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 10th July, 1866.

12*th Lancers*, Joseph Henderson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Mildmay Willson Willson, whose appointment, by purchase, on the 30th May, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain and Brevet-Major Robert H. Curzon Drury-Lowe to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Clifton Gascoigne, who retires. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant John Palmer Brabazon to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Drury-Lowe. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Charles Birch Reynardson, Gent, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Brabazon. Dated 10th July, 1866.

1st Regiment of Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Robert Henry Beale, from the 53rd Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon. vice William Snowdon Hedley, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Frederick Powell to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 10th July, 1866.

2nd Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Edward Hopkins, from the 71st Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 10th July, 1866.

3rd Foot, Paymaster John James Bailey, from 31st Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Frank William Dundee, who exchanges. Dated 10th July. 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Ferguson to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 10th July, 1866.

5th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Joseph McCarthy, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Frederick Ruttledge to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Exham Long Hifferman, promoted on the Staff. Dated 10th July, 1866.

6th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Edward Whitaker Roworth to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant James Thomas Nugent, who has joined the Depôt of his Regiment. Dated 11th May, 1865.

Serjeant-Major George Beedle to be Quartermaster, vice Robert Smith, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon George Andrew, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Charles Rattray, M.D., appointed to 37th Foot. Dated 10th July, 1866.

7th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Charles William O'Brien, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Edward Wilmot Williams, who retires on appointment as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Dated 10th July, 1866.

10th Foot, Captain Patrick Brown Lucas to be Major, without purchase, vice J. Van Hartnals Montagu, promoted, without purchase, to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy. Dated 10th July, 1866.

11th Foot, Lieutenant William Arthur Irwin, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Richard Wingfield Cardiff, who retires. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Ensign Philip Henry Smith, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Irwin. Dated 10th July, 1866.

William Apthorp, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice P. H. Smith. Dated 10th July, 1866.

15th Foot, Lieutenant John Lewis Riall, to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Wood, appointed Adjutant of a Depôt Battalion. Dated 10th July, 1866.

20th Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Wynyard Baird O'Brien, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice George Gordon Fergusson, deceased. Dated 10th July, 1866.

25*th Foot*, Staff-Surgeon Henry Vereker Bindon, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Digby William Lawlor, deceased. Dated 10th July, 1866.

31*st Foot*, Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain, Frank William Dundee, from the 3rd Foot, to be Paymaster, vice John James Bailey, who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866.

32*nd Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel Patrick Johnston, from half-pay, late 99th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Granville George Chetwynd Stapylton, who exchanges to temporary half-pay. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Captain George Clayton Swiney, from the 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice Hall, who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866.

35*th Foot*, Ensign William John Jackson, from the 64th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Richard Albert Watkin Bayly, superseded for being absent without leave. Dated 10th July, 1866.

37*th Foot*, Assistant-Surgeon Charles Rattray, M.D., from the 6th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 10th July, 1866.

41*st Foot*, Captain Charles James Hughes, from the 51st Foot, to be Captain, vice Hill, who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866.

43*rd Foot*, Ensign Frederick Charles Rowan has been permitted to retire from the Service, by the sale of his Commission. Dated 10th July, 1866.

45*th Foot*, Ensign Nevill Henry Reeve to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Paul Dane, who retires. Dated 10th July, 1866.

William Frederick Brown, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Reeve. Dated 10th July, 1866.

46 *h Foot*, Henry Elliott Chevalier Kitchener, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice John Thompson Scott, transferred to the 93rd Foot. Dated 10th July, 1866.

51*st Foot*, Captain John Edwin Dickson Hill, from the 41st Foot, to be Captain, vice Hughes, who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866.

53*rd Foot*, Assistant-Surgeon William Snowdon Hedley, M.D., from the 1st Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert Henry Beale, who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866.

57*th Foot*, Lieutenant Wyndham A. R. Thompson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Charles Mansfield Clarke, who has resigned the appointment. Dated 1st March, 1866

71*st Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Joseph O'Reilly to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Edward Hopkins, appointed to 2nd Foot. Dated 10th July, 1866.

73*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Vincent Upton Langworthy has been permitted to retire from the Service, by the sale of his Commission. Dated 10th July, 1866.

75*th Foot*, Captain Samuel Henry Harford, from the Cape Mounted Rifles, to be Captain, vice Gledstanes, who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866

86*th Foot*, The second Christian name of Ensign Bertram, appointed on 1st May, 1866, is *Godfray*, and not *Godfrey* as then stated.

89*th Foot*, Ensign Henry Thomas Pycroft has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 10th July, 1866.

92*nd Foot*, Serjeant-Major Alexander Yeatts to

be Quartermaster, vice John Dewar, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 10th July, 1866.

93*rd Foot*, Ensign John Thompson Scott, from 46th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Alexander Kerr, who retires. Dated 10th July, 1866.

95*th Foot*, Ensign John Henry Stawell Seagram to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Robert Macnee, deceased. Dated 3rd May, 1866.

Ensign Herbert Llywelyn Parry to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Seagram, whose promotion, by purchase, on 5th June, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Arthur Tower, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Parry. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Cape Mounted Rifles, Captain Hugh Barton Gledstanes, from 75th Foot, to be Captain, vice Harford, who exchanges. Dated 10th July, 1866.

CAVALRY DEPOT.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel C. H. Teush-Hecker, from Unattached, and Assistant-Commandant, to be Commandant, vice Brevet-Colonel W. N. Custance, C.B., who retires upon half-pay, receiving the former difference between a Lieutenant-Colonelcy of Cavalry and Infantry. Dated 10th July, 1866.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

Acting Deputy Assistant Commissary-General William Beamish to be Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Dated 21st February, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Alfred Hooper to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major William

Campbell Seaman, M.D., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Exham Long Hiffernan, from 5th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Dudley Hanley, M.D., placed upon half-pay. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Tarrant, M.D., from Royal Artillery, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Henry Vereker Bindon, M D , appointed to 25th Foot. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Joseph John Pope, from Royal Artillery, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Charles Edward Smith, M D., appointed to 11th Hussars. Dated 10th July, 1866.

UNATTACHED.

The promotion of Lieutenant George Edmonds, Unattached List, Bengal Army, to bear date *5th October*, not *10th November*, 1865.

HALF-PAY.

Major J. Van Hartnals Montagu, from 10th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BREVET.

Lieutenant Colonel Edward Gascoigne Bulwer, C.B., half-pay, late 23rd Foot, Assistant Inspector of Volunteers, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 23rd May, 1866.

Quartermaster John Dewar, half-pay, late 92nd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Staff Surgeon-Major William Campbell Seaman, M.D., who retires upon half-pay, to have the

honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 10th July, 1866.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General James Alexander, Earl of Rosslyn, Colonel 7th Hussars, who died 16th June, 1866 :—

Lieutenant-General William Thomas Knollys, Colonel 62nd Foot, to be General. Dated 17th June, 1866.

Major-General James Robert Young, Colonel 80th Foot, to be Lieutenant-General Dated 17th June, 1866.

Brevet-Colonel John Yorke, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, Unattached, to be Major-General. Dated 17th June, 1866.

Major Frederick Cockayne Elton, 21st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th June, 1866.

Captain William Benjamin Browne. 81st Foot, to be Major. Dated 17th June, 1866.

Admiralty, 5th July, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Fergusson Nowell Forth to be First Lieutenant, vice Bontein, resigned. Dated 1st July, 1866.

Admiralty, 6th July, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

The following named Gentlemen have been appointed Second Lieutenants :—

Thomas Feild Dunscomb Bridge. Dated 26th June, 1866.

Richard Burton Deane. Dated 26th June, 1866.

John Le Cocq Robilliard. Dated 26th June, 1866.
Charles Robert Dendy. Dated 26th June, 1866.
John Alexander Armstrong Eckford. Dated 26th June, 1866.
Stewart Polkinghorne. Dated 26th June, 1866.
Meering Bloomfield Seager. Dated 28th June, 1866.
William Henry Hobbs. Dated 28th June, 1866.

Admiralty, 5th July, 1866.

Commander Peter Astle Scott has been this day promoted to be Retired Captain, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866.

Commanders:
Walter James Hunt Grubbe,
Charles John Rowley,
to be Captains.

Lieutenants:
James Arthur Forbes,
George Ferdinand Hastings Parker,
Henry John Hodgson,
Bernard John Cooper,
Harry Woodfall Brent,
Charles Pringle,
to be Commanders.

Admiralty, 6th July, 1866.

Commander Richard Wells to be Captain.
Lieutenant William Henry Maxwell to be Commander.

Lieutenants:
William Webster (B),
Edward Lee Hoblyn,
have been placed on the Retired List from the

1st instant, and allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866.

Admiralty, 9th July, 1866.

Mr. William Savage has this day been promoted to the rank of First Class Assistant Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 22nd June, 1866.

Mr. Maurice Whyham has this day been promoted to the rank of First Class Assistant Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 23rd June, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, *and County of the City of* Chester.

Robert Barbour, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1866.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Thomas Bateman in the Royal Glamorgan Artillery Militia. Dated 20th April, 1866.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Bernard Byrne in the Royal Glamorgan Infantry Militia. Dated 13th May, 1866.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Tobias Fitzgerald in the Royal Glamorgan Infantry Militia, who retires with the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 14th June, 1866.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 10, 1866.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 10th day of *July*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, the Most Noble John Winston Spencer, Duke of Marlborough; the Right Honourable William Reginald, Earl of Devon; the Right Honourable Charles, Earl of Tankerville; the Right Honourable Henry Charles, Earl of Cadogan; William Alleyne Cecil, Esquire (commonly called Lord Burghley); Charles Philip Yorke, Esquire (commonly called Viscount Royston); the Right Honourable Charles John, Lord Colville of Culross; and Stephen Cave, Esquire, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their respective places at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 10th day of *July*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Stephen Cave,

President of the Committee of Council for Trade, in the absence of the President of the said Committee, for the time being.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 13, 1866.

Foreign Office, July 12, 1866.

LORD STANLEY has received a Telegram from Sir Alexander Malet, Bart., K.C.B., Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary at Frankfort, dated the 11th instant, announcing that Her Royal Highness the Princess Louis of Hesse (Princess Alice of Great Britain) safely gave birth to a Princess at Darmstadt, at two o'clock on that morning.

At the Court at Osborne, July 10, 1866.

HER Majesty having been graciously pleased to deliver the custody of the Seals of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster to the Right Honourable William Reginald, Earl of Devon, the oath of Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster was this day, by Her Majesty's command, administered to him accordingly.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, July 13, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public under the usual regulations on and after Monday next, the 16th instant.

Board of Green Cloth, July 10, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Most Noble John Winston, Duke of Marlborough, to be Lord Steward of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable John George Brabazon, Earl of Bessborough, resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable William Alleyne Cecil (commonly called Lord Burghley) to be Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable Otho Augustus FitzGerald (commonly called Lord Otho FitzGerald), resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Philip Yorke (commonly called Viscount Royston) to be Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable Granville Leveson Proby (commonly called Lord Proby), resigned.

St. James's Palace, July 10, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Orlando George Charles, Earl of Bradford, to be Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of John Robert, Viscount Sydney, G.C.B., resigned.

St. James's Palace, July 10, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Claude Hamilton (commonly called Lord Claude Hamilton), to be Vice Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable Valentine Augustus Browne (commonly called Viscount Castlerosse), resigned.

St. James's Palace, July 10, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles, Earl of Tankerville, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, in the room of Thomas Henry, Lord Foley, resigned.

St. James's Palace, July 10, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Charles, Earl Cadogan, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Guard of Yeomen of the Guard, in the room of Henry John, Earl of Ducie, resigned.

Whitehall, July 12, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to John, Baron Henniker, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Hartismere, of Hartismere, in the county of Suffolk.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to the Right Honourable Sir Edward George Earle Lytton Bulwer Lytton, Bart., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Lytton, of Knebworth, in the county of Hertford.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to the Right Honourable Sir William George Hylton

Jolliffe, Bart., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Hylton, of Hylton, in the county Palatine of Durham, and of Petersfield, in the county of Southampton.

Whitehall, July 12, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Edward Geoffrey, Earl of Derby, K.G.; the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli; the Honourable Gerard James Noel; Sir Graham Graham Montgomery, Bart.; and Henry Whitmore, Esq.; to be Commissioners for executing the offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain, and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting to the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli the offices of Chancellor and Under Treasurer of Her Majesty's Exchequer.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Sir John Somerset Pakington, Bart., G.C.B.; Vice-Admiral Sir Alexander Milne, K.C.B.; Vice-Admiral Sir Sydney Colpoys Dacres, K.C.B.; Rear-Admiral George Henry Seymour, C.B.; Rear-Admiral Sir John Charles Dalrymple Hay, Bart.; and Charles DuCane, Esq.; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the office and place of Advocate-General or Judge Martial of Her Majesty's Forces to the Right Honourable John Robert Mowbray.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, appointing the Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy to be Poor Law Commissioner for England.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Henry Thomas Lowry Corry to be Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education.

The Queen has also been pleased to grant the office of Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland to George Patton, Esq., Advocate.

The Queen has also been pleased to grant the office of Solicitor-General for Scotland to Edward Strathearn Gordon, Esq.

Foreign Office, July 10, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. David Gould as Consul at Leith for the United States of America.

Crown Office, July 10, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to constitute and appoint—

Sir Hugh McCalmont Cairns, Knt., Her Majesty's Attorney-General; and also by other letters patent to constitute and appoint—

William Bovill, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Council learned in the law, Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

Crown Office, July 12, 1866.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

University of Cambridge.

The Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Borough of Droitwich.

The Right Honourable Sir John Somerset Pakington, Bart., First Commissioner for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

Borough of Cockermouth.

The Right Honourable Richard Southwell Bourke (commonly called Lord Naas), Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

Borough of King's Lynn.

The Right Honourable Edward Henry Stanley (commonly called Lord Stanley), one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

University of Oxford.

The Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy, Commissioner for administering the laws for relief of the Poor in England.

Borough of Stamford.

The Right Honourable Robert Arthur Talbot Gascoigne Cecil (commonly called Viscount Cranborne), one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Rear-Admiral Sir John Charles Dalrymple Hay, Bart., F.R.S., one of the Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

July 13.

Borough of Guildford.

William Bovill, Esq., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

City of Durham.

The Right Honourable John Robert Mowbray, Her Majesty's Judge Advocate-General.

Borough of Bridgwater.

Philip Vanderbyl, of No. 51, Porchester-terrace, in the county of Middlesex, Merchant, in the room of George Patton, Esq., who has accepted the office of Lord-Advocate of Scotland.

Borough of Huntingdon.

The Right Honourable Lieutenant-General Jonathan Peel, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Admiralty, 11*th July*, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Hugh Reginald Borde Owen, Gent., to be Second Lieutenant. Dated 3rd July, 1866.

Admiralty, 10*th July*, 1866.

Mr. Michael Alonzo Fothergil has this day been promoted to the rank of First Class Assistant Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 6th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

Derbyshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Arthur Radford to be Cornet, vice Milnes, resigned. Dated 10th July, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 17, 1866.

Master of the Horse's Office,
July 16, 1866.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles John, Lord Colville of Culross, to be Master of Her Majesty's Buckhounds, in the room of the Right Honourable Richard Edmund St. Lawrence, Earl of Cork and Orrery, K.P., resigned.

St. James's Palace, July 13, 1866

The Queen has been pleased to appoint to be Lords in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty :—

William Henry, Viscount Strathallan, in the room of James, Earl of Caithness, resigned.

Cornwallis, Viscount Hawarden, in the room of Thomas, Lord Camoys, resigned.

William, Lord Bagot, in the room of George, Lord De Tabley, resigned.

Henry Francis, Lord Polwarth, in the room of Richard, Lord Cremorne, resigned.

Edward, Lord Crofton, in the room of Frederick Henry Paul, Lord Methuen, resigned.

Edward, Lord Skelmersdale, in the room of James, Lord Talbot de Malahide, resigned.

Richard Henry FitzRoy, Lord Raglan, in the room of George Augustus Constantine, Marquis of Normanby, resigned.

Foreign Office, July 16, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. J. W. Ploos van Amstel as Consul-General in the Colonies of Australia, New Zealand, and Tasmania, for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Federico Bas y Moro as Consul at Malta for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

Downing Street, July 16, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir John Peter Grant, K.C.B., to be Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Island of Jamaica, and the territories depending thereon.

Crown Office, July 16, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased by writ under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to call Sir FitzRoy Edward Kelly, one of Her Majesty's Council learned in the Law, to the state and degree of a Serjeant-at-Law.

Crown Office, July 16, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to constitute Sir FitzRoy Edward Kelly, Serjeant-at-Law, Chief Baron of the Exchequer.

Crown Office, July 16, 1866.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Essex.

Northern Division.

Charles Du Cane, Esq., one of the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord Admiral of the United Kingdom.

Borough of New Shoreham.

The Right Honourable Stephen Cave, Vice-President of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations.

County of Rutland.

The Honourable Gerard James Noel, one of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury.

County of Leicester.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable John James Robert Manners (commonly called Lord John Manners), First Commissioner of Her Majesty's Works and Buildings.

Borough of Belfast.

Sir Hugh McCalmont Cairns, Knt., Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

County of Northampton.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable William Alleyne Cecil (commonly called Lord Burghley), Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household.

County of Buckingham.

The Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli, Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of Her Majesty's Exchequer.

July 17.

County of Devon.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart., C.B., President of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations.

Whitehall, July 16, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto John Birch Webb, Clerk, Vicar of Weobley, in the county of Hereford, and of Garnstone, in the said county, second but eldest surviving son and heir of Daniel Webb, of Audley-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, deceased, by Anne, his Wife, Sister of Samuel Peploe, of Garnstone aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority, that he and his issue may (in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of the said Samuel Peploe), henceforth take and use the surname of Peploe only, instead of that of Webb, and bear the arms of Peploe quarterly, in the first quarter, with those of his own family, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said licence to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War Office, Pall Mall,
17*th July*, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Lieutenant Frederick Gustavus Burnaby to be Captain, by purchase, vice Thomas Leslie, who retires. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Cornet Thomas William Langford Brooke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Burnaby. Dated 17th July, 1866.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Benjamin Edmonds to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Allen Deane, who resigns the appointment. Dated 10th May, 1866.

5th Dragoon Guards, Edward Henry Conant, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Edward Armitage, who retires. Dated 17th July, 1866.

9th Lancers, Lieutenant Charles Francis Arnold Howard, from the 11th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice Mackintosh, who exchanges. Dated 17th July, 1866.

11th Hussars, Lieutenant Ronald Mackintosh, from the 9th Lancers, to be Lieutenant, vice Howard who exchanges. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Royal Artillery.

The following Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants, dated 17th July, 1866, viz :—

James Frederick Harman, vice W. J. Finch, promoted.

George Mackinlay, vice F. S. Stoney, promoted.

Charles Glendower Dorward, vice E. H. Dyke, promoted.

George Blake Napier Martin, vice J. R. Macleay, promoted.

John Sheridan Clarke, vice R. S. Robinson, promoted.

Charles William Henry Sealy, vice H. Graves, resigned.

Maynard Willoughby Wemyss, vice A. Swinton, promoted.

Charles Eyles Buller, vice J. W. Borradaile, promoted.

Douglas Forde Jones, vice H. de G. Warter, promoted.

Archibald Forman Makellar, vice E. J. Pottinger, promoted.

William Lindsay Carnegie Gordon, vice B. H. Pottinger, promoted.

Archibald Edward Duthy, vice F. Clarke, promoted.

Kenneth Francis Maclachlan, vice W. G. Brancker, promoted.

Henry Donald Dunlop, vice D. R. Cameron, promoted.

James Digby Legard, vice W. S. Brown, resigned.

Cameron Macartney Harwood Downing, vice J. H. Lloyd, promoted.

Alexander William Anstruther, vice W. H. Noble, promoted.

Lionel Tillotson, vice R. N. Young, promoted.

Robert Samuel Watson, vice G. O'Connor, promoted.

George Sandford Mainguy, vice W. Kemmis, promoted.

Quartermaster-Serjeant Robert Woods to be Quartermaster, vice John McDonald Hains, retired upon half-pay. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Staff-Surgeon Alexander Guthrie, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Richard Francis Valpy De Lisle, appointed to the Staff. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Royal Engineers, Captain Thomas George Glover to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. P. Beadle, who retires on full pay. Dated 30th June, 1866.

Second Captain and Brevet-Major Henry Alexander Brownlow to be Captain, vice Glover. Dated 30th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Luard to be Second Captain, vice Brevet Major Brownlow. Dated 30th June, 1866.

The following Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants, with temporary rank, dated 17th July, 1866, viz.:—

John Edward Broadbent.

John du Terreau Bogle.

Charles Compton Seton.
Samuel Buckle.
William Edwin Llewellyn Morgan.
Charles Frederic Call.

Coldstream Guards, Battalion Surgeon Charles Vidler Cay, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 3rd February, 1866. Dated 12th June, 1866.

3rd Regiment of Foot, Staff Surgeon Edward Touch, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Joseph Burke, who exchanges. Dated 17th July, 1866.

8th Foot, Lieutenant Jeremy Peyton Jones to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Charles Bradford Brown, promoted. Dated 15th June, 1866.

17th Foot, Lieutenant and Adjutant Alexander Aitken Ross to be Paymaster, vice Corcoran, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 17th July, 1866.

31st Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Stanier has been permitted to retire from the Service by the Sale of his Commission. Dated 17th July, 1866.

34th Foot, Edward Medley Carter, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Evelyn Arthur Rich, who retires. Dated 17th July, 1866.

36th Foot, Captain Frederick Rance, from half-pay, late 28th Foot, to be Captain, vice Alexander Frederick Stewart, who exchanges to temporary half-pay. Dated 17th July, 1866.

37th Foot, Lieutenant Herbert Stewart to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant James Frederick Reyne, who resigns the appointment. Dated 17th July, 1866.

58*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Ambrose, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Carlaw, appointed to the Staff. Dated 17th July, 1866.

65*th Foot*, Captain William Mitford, from the 73rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Whitbread, who exchanges. Dated 17th July, 1866.

69*th Foot*, Captain and Brevet-Major George Bagot to be Major, without purchase, vice Edward Bowen, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 17th July, 1866.

73*rd Foot*, Captain E. Jacob Whitbread, from the 65th Foot, to be Captain, vice Mitford, who exchanges. Dated 17th July, 1866.

82*nd Foot*, Ensign William Forsyth Forsyth Grant to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice James Bird Hutchinson, whose promotion on the 14th December, 1865, has been cancelled. Dated 14th December, 1865.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Hugh Lawton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Walter J. H. Lord Ruthven, who retires. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Ensign John James Hope Johnstone to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lawton. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Walter James Lindsay, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice John J. Hope Johnstone. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Percy Graham Hill, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Edward William Jennings, who retires. Dated 18th July, 1866.

4*th West India Regiment*, Ensign Frederick, William Hodges to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James Crum, who retires. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Edmond Birch, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hodges. Dated 17th July, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Richard Francis Valpy De Lisle, from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff-Surgeon Alexander Guthrie, M.D., appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Surgeon-Major Joseph Burke, from the 3rd Foot, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff-Surgeon Edward Touch, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon John Carlaw, from the 58th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Ambrose, M.D., appointed to the 58th Foot. Dated 17th July, 1866.

HALF PAY.

Major Edward Bowen, from the 69th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Douglas Robinson, from the 72nd Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Claringbold Powell, Unattached, and late Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 17th July, 1866.

ROYAL MILITARY ACADEMY.

Lieutenant Frank Johnson, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant of a Company of Gentlemen Cadets, vice Samuel Dunlop, who resigns that appointment only. Dated 1st July, 1866.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Pattle Beadle, retired full-pay, Royal Engineers, to be Colonel, the rank being honorary only. Dated 30th June, 1866.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Sir John McDonald, K.C.B., Colonel 92nd Fool, who died on the 24th June, 1866:—

Lieutenant-General Sir Henry Robert Ferguson Davie, Bart., Colonel of the 73rd Foot, to be General. Dated 25th June, 1866.

Major-General Sir John Michel, K.C.B., Colonel of the 86th Foot, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 25th June, 1866.

Brevet-Colonel Henry Dunn O'Halloran, from Lieutenant-Colonel retired full-pay, late 1st West India Regiment, to be Major-General. Dated 25th June, 1866.

Major Charles Cooch, half-pay Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 25th June, 1866.

Captain Charles John Patterson, 35th Foot, to be Major. Dated 25th June, 1866.

Memorandum.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Claringbold Powell, half-pay late 10th Foot, and late Staff-Officer of Pensioners, has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum of 15th February, 1861. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Queen's Commission

Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.

William Wykeham Holloway, Gent., lately Paymaster, to be Quartermaster, from the 4th May, 1866, vice Meadows, deceased.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Bute.

His Grace William Alexander Louis Stephen, Duke of Hamilton, Brandon, and Chatelherault, &c., &c., &e., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th July, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

1st Devon Militia.

Charles Robert Collins to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st May, 1866.

Royal North Devon Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Robert F. Wren to be Lieutenant, vice Mallet, resigned. Dated 20th June, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Fifeshire Artillery Militia.

Owen Brown, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Johnstone, resigned. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

Queen's Own Royal Regiment of Glasgow and Lower Ward of Lanarkshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Archibald Campbell Campbell, late Lieutenant-Colonel Seots Fusilier Guards, to be Captain, vice George Lumsden, resigned. Dated 25th June, 1866.

David Carrick Robert Carrick Buchanan to be Captain, vice the Right Honourable Lord Dunglass, resigned. Dated 26th June, 1866.

Cornet Stewart Souter Robertson to be Lieutenant, vice His Grace the Duke of Hamilton, promoted. Dated 26th June, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

Queen's Own Royal Regiment of Staffordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Henry Anson, Lord Waterpark, to be Lieutenant, vice Spry, resigned. Dated 19th June, 1866.

Edward Hall, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Lord Waterpark, promoted. Dated 19th June, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland and Newcastle Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet C. M. Adamson to be Lieutenant, vice Grey, deceased. Dated 5th July, 1866.

John Blencowe Cookson, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Adamson, promoted. Dated 5th July, 1866.

Norman Charles Cookson, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Strother, resigned. Dated 5th July, 1866.

The Reverend C. Crowe Snowden to be Chaplain. Dated 5th July, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

West Kent Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Joseph George Eardensohn being absent without leave has been removed from the strength of the Regiment. Dated 10th July, 1866.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 17, 1866.

Windsor Castle, July 5th, 1866.

CEREMONIAL observed at the Marriage of HER ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCESS HELENA AUGUSTA VICTORIA, Third Daughter of HER MAJESTY QUEEN VICTORIA and of HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE CONSORT, Duke of Saxony and Prince of Saxe Coburg and Gotha, with HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE CHRISTIAN OF SCHLESWIG HOLSTEIN, K.G., in the Chapel within Windsor Castle, on Thursday, the 5th day of July, 1866, at half-past twelve o'clock.

The Members of the Royal Family and other Royal and Illustrious Visitors assembled in the White Drawing Room at Twelve o'clock.

Her Royal Highness The Princess Helena remained in Her Majesty's Private Apartments. Her Royal Highness's Suite assembled in the Corridor adjoining.

His Royal Highness The Prince Christian, with the Supporters and Attendants of His Royal Highness, was in the Red Room.

The Ladies and Gentlemen of The Queen's Household assembled in the Corridor, to which also the Ladies and Gentlemen in attendance upon the Royal Visitors were shown.

The Ambassadors, Foreign Ministers, Cabinet Ministers, and others invited to be present at the Ceremony, assembled in the Red and Green Drawing Rooms, from whence they were conducted to seats provided for them in the Chapel.

The Archbishop of Canterbury, The Bishop of London (Dean of Her Majesty's Chapels Royal), The Bishop of Oxford (Lord High Almoner, and Bishop of the Diocese), The Bishop of Worcester (Clerk of the Closet), The Bishop of Winchester (Prelate of the Order of the Garter), and The Honourable and Very Reverend the Dean of Windsor (Domestic Chaplain to Her Majesty), assembled and robed in the Audience Chamber, from whence they proceeded to the Chapel and took their places within the rails of the Altar.

As soon as the Visitors had taken their seats, The Royal Procession was formed in the Corridor, and moved from the White Drawing Room in the following order:—

THE ROYAL PROCESSION.

Richmond Herald,
Matthew C. H. Gibbon, Esq.

Lancaster Herald,
Albert W. Woods, Esq.

Equerry in Waiting to the Queen,
Colonel The Honourable Dudley F. de Ros.

Comptroller of the Household,
The Lord Proby.

Treasurer of the Household,
The Lord Otho Fitzgerald.

Clerk Marshal,
The Lord Alfred Paget.

Comptroller of the Household and Treasurer to His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales,
Lieutenant-General Knollys.

Keeper of the Privy Purse,
Major-General Sir Thomas Biddulph, K.C.B.

Gentleman Usher,
Sir William Martins.

Garter King of Arms,
Sir Charles G. Young.

Gentleman Usher,
Major-General H. S. Stephens.

The Vice-Chamberlain,
The Viscount Castlerosse.

The Chamberlain to
Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales,
The Lord Harris, G.C.S.I.

The Groom of the Stole to
His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales,
The Earl Spencer, K.G.

The Lord Chamberlain,
The Viscount Sydney, G.C.B.

The Lord Steward,
The Earl of Bessborough.

His Highness
The Maharajah Duleep Singh, G.C.S.I.

His Serene Highness
The Prince of Leiningen, G.C.B.

His Royal Highness The Prince Arthur.
His Royal Highness The Prince Leopold.

His Royal Highness
The Duke of Edinburgh, K.G.

His Majesty Leopold II.,
King of the Belgians, K.G.

Her Grand Ducal Highness
The Princess of Leiningen.

Her Royal Highness
The Duchess of Cambridge.

Her Royal Highness The Princess Beatrice.
Her Royal Highness The Princess Louise.

Her Royal Highness
The Princess of Wales.

Her Majesty Marie Henriette
Queen of the Belgians.

The Master of the Horse,
The Marquis of Ailesbury, K.G.

The Ladies in attendance on Her Majesty the Queen of the Belgians,
The Marquise de Trazegnies-Corroy.
The Comtesse d'Yves de Bavai.

The Grand Maréchal de la Cour
to His Majesty The King of the Belgians,
The Count Van der Straten-Ponthoz.

The Chamberlain to
Her Majesty The Queen of the Belgians,
The Count Gustave de Lannoy.

The Lord in Waiting to The Queen in attendance on Their Majesties
The King and Queen of the Belgians,
The Lord Camoys.

The Secretary to
His Majesty the King of the Belgians,
Monsieur Jules De Vaux.

Officier d'Ordonnance to
His Majesty the King of the Belgians,
Monsieur Brewer.

The Lady of the Bedchamber to
Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales,
The Countess of Morton.

The Woman of the Bedchamber to
Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales,
The Hon. Mrs. Edward Coke.

The Ladies in Attendance on their Royal Highnesses the Princesses Louise and Beatrice,
The Lady Caroline Barrington,
The Lady Superintendent.

The Lady Augusta Stanley.

The Lady in Waiting on Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Cambridge,
The Lady Geraldine Somerset.

The Captain
of the Yeomen of the Guard,
The Earl of Ducie.

The Gold Stick in
Waiting,
General The Earl of Lucan, K.C.B.

The Captain
of the Gentlemen at Arms,
The Lord Foley.

The Master of the Buckhounds,
The Earl of Cork, K.P.

The Master of the Household,
Major Sir John Cowell, K.C.B.

The Groom of the Robes,
Major-General F. H. Seymour.

The Silver Stick in Waiting,
Lieutenant-Colonel R. Palmer.

The Field Officer in Brigade Waiting,
Colonel H. F. Ponsonby.

The Comptroller of The Lord Chamberlain's Department,
The Honourable Spencer Ponsonby.

The Equerry in Waiting on His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh,
The Honourable Eliot Yorke.

The Governor to His Royal Highness The Prince Arthur,
Major Elphinstone, V.C., C.B.

The Governor to His Royal Highness The Prince Leopold,
Lieutenant Stirling, R.H.A.

The Comptroller of the Household to Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Cambridge,
Colonel Home Purves.

The Equerry in Waiting on His Royal Highness the Duke of Cambridge,
Colonel Henry Clifton.

The Gentleman in Attendance on His Highness the Maharajah Duleep Singh,
Colonel Oliphant.

As the Procession passed along the Corridor and entered the Chapel, Beethoven's Triumphal March was played.

The Royal Personages having been conducted by The Lord Chamberlain and Vice-Chamberlain to the places appointed for them in the Chapel, and the several Persons composing the Procession, having taken the seats prepared for them, The Lord Chamberlain and the Vice-Chamberlain returned to the Red Room, and conducted the Bridegroom and His Supporters to the Chapel in the following order:—

PROCESSION OF THE BRIDEGROOM.

Richmond Herald. Lancaster Herald.

The Master of the Ceremonies,
General The Honourable Sir Edward Cust, K.C.H.

Equerry to the Bridegroom,
Lieutenant-Colonel George G. Gordon.

The Bridegroom's Gentleman of Honour,
The Count Rantzau.

Groom in Waiting to Her Majesty in attendance on His Royal Highness The Bridegroom,
Major-General Francis Seymour, C.B.

The Vice-Chamberlain,
The Viscount Castlerosse.

The Lord Chamberlain,
The Viscount Sydney, G.C.B.

THE BRIDEGROOM,

Supported by

His Serene Highness The Prince Frederic of Schleswig Holstein-Sonderbourg-Augustenburg,
and His Serene Highness The Prince Edward of Saxe-Weimar, C.B.

As the Procession passed along the Corridor and entered the Chapel, Mendelssohn's March from "Athalie" was played, while the Bridegroom was conducted to the place appointed for His Royal Highness on the right side of the Altar. The Supporters occupied seats near His Royal Highness, and the Gentlemen in attendance were placed near them.

The Lord Chamberlain and Vice-Chamberlain then returned as before to Her Majesty's Apartments to attend Her Majesty and The Bride, whose Procession having been formed, moved to the Chapel in the following order:—

PROCESSION OF THE BRIDE.

Richmond Herald.

The Vice-Chamberlain,
The Viscount Castlerosse.

Lancaster Herald.

The Lord Chamberlain,
The Viscount Sydney, G.C.B.

THE BRIDE,

Supported by

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN,

and

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, K.G.

The Train of Her Royal Highness borne by eight Unmarried Daughters of Dukes, Marquesses, and Earls :—

The Lady Margaret Scott.
The Lady Laura Phipps.
The Lady Mary Fitzwilliam.
The Lady Muriel Campbell.
The Lady Caroline Gordon Lennox.
The Lady Albertha Hamilton.
The Lady Alexandrina Murray.
The Lady Ernestine Edgcumbe.

The Mistress of the Robes,
The Duchess of Wellington.

The Lady of the Bedchamber in Waiting,
The Duchess of Roxburghe.

The Maids of Honour in Waiting,
The Honourable Emily S. Cathcart.
The Honourable Horatia C. Stopford.

The Woman of the Bedchamber in Waiting,
The Honourable Mrs. Robert Bruce.

The Lord of the Bedchamber to His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales,
The Viscount Hamilton.

The Lord in Waiting,
The Lord Methuen.

The Equerry in Waiting,
Lieutenant-Gen. The Hon. Charles Grey.

The Groom in Waiting,
Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. F. Cavendish.

The Equerry in Waiting to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales,
Major G. H. Grey.

The Groom of the Bedchamber to His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales,
The Honourable C. L. Wood.

The Treasurer and Private Secretary to Her Royal Highness The Bride,
Mr. Gardner D. Engleheart.

As the Procession passed along the Corridor, Handel's March from "Scipio" was played.

On arriving at the Chapel, The Bride took her place on the left side of the Altar, and The Queen was conducted to the seat prepared for Her Majesty, near The Bride.

The Archbishop of Canterbury performed the Service.

The Choir sang a Chorale, especially composed for the occasion.

The Bride was given away by Her Majesty The Queen.

At the conclusion of the Service, a March (Spohr) was played as the Processions left the Chapel.

A Royal Salute was fired in the Long Walk from a Battery of the Royal Horse Artillery, under the command of Major Stirling.

The Processions left the Chapel in the following order :—

THE UNITED PROCESSION OF THE BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM.

Richmond Herald. Lancaster Herald.

The Master of the Ceremonies.

The Gentleman of Honour to The Bridegroom.

The Equerry to The Bridegroom.

The Groom in Waiting to the Queen in attendance on the Bridegroom.

The Treasurer to Her Royal Highness The Bride.

The Vice-Chamberlain. The Lord Chamberlain.

THE BRIDE AND BRIDEGROOM.

The Train of the Bride borne as before.

The Ladies in attendance on The Bride.

The Lady of the Bedchamber to Her Royal Highness,
The Lady Susan Leslie Melville.

The Lady of the Bedchamber to the Queen in attendance on Her Royal Highness,
The Lady Churchill.

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN,

and His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales,

attended as before.

The Supporters of His Royal Highness The Bridegroom.

THE ROYAL PROCESSION

in the same order in which it entered the Chapel.

All the Royal Personages proceeded to the White Drawing Room, where they were joined by the Dignitaries of the Church and the Great Officers of State, and the Registry of the Marriage having been signed by The Bride and Bridegroom, was duly attested by Her Majesty The Queen, and by the other Royal and distinguished Personages.

The following Signatures, in the order in which they appear below, were attached as attestations to the Marriage in the Registry Books of Her Majesty's Chapels Royal:—

C. T. Cantuar.

Chr. Pr. Holstein.
Helena.

Victoria R.
Albert Edward P.
Alexandra.
Alfred.
Arthur.
Leopold.
Louise.
Beatrice.
Leopold R.
Marie Henriette.
Augusta.
Edward Prince of Saxe Weimar.
Ernest Prince of Leiningen.

Marie Princess of Leiningen.
Frederick Prs. Holstein.
Duleep Singh.
Cranworth, C.
Granville.
Argyll.
Russell.
G. Grey.
Clarendon.
Bessborough.
Sydney.
Ailesbury.
A. C. London.
C. Winton.
S. Oxon.
H. Worcester.
G. Wellesley.

The Royal Family retired to the Oak Room, where Luncheon was privately served.

Luncheon was served for the Visitors at a Buffet in the Waterloo Gallery.

The Gentlemen-at-Arms were on duty in the State Apartments, under the command of the Lieu tenant, Sir William Topham, and the Yeomen of the Guard, under the command of Colonel O. P. Bourke, Exon in Waiting, in the Approaches to the State Rooms and to the Chapel.

Her Majesty's Private Band, under the direction of Mr. Anderson, was stationed in the Red Drawing Room, and performed as the several Processions passed along the Corridor to and from the Chapel.

Mr. Cusins presided at the Organ.

The Dress worn was,—For Ladies, Full Dress, without Trains. For Gentlemen, Full Dress, with Trowsers.

The Knights of the several Orders wore their respective Collars.

A Guard of Honour of the 3rd Battalion of Grenadier Guards mounted in the Quadrangle, under the command of Lieutenant-Colonel Claud Alexander.

A Special Train left Paddington Station at 10·55 o'Clock, to convey Her Majesty's Guests from London to the Castle, and returned from Windsor at 2·45 o'Clock.

Carriages were provided to take Her Majesty's Guests to and from the Castle.

At a quarter-past four o'clock Their Royal Highnesses Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig Holstein left Windsor Castle and proceeded to Osborne, in the Isle of Wight.

Her Majesty and The Royal Guests accompanied The Bride and Bridegroom to the Queen's Entrance, attended by the Great Officers and the Ladies and Gentlemen of the Royal Households.

A Guard of Honour mounted at the Windsor Station of the Great Western Railway at the departure of Their Royal Highnesses, to which they were attended by an escort of the Royal Horse Guards.

A Banquet was given in the Evening, in honour of the occasion in the Waterloo Chamber, at which The Lord Steward presided, and proposed the following Toasts:

Their Royal Highnesses The Prince and Princess Christian of Schleswig Holstein-Sonderbourg-Augustenburg.

The King and Queen of the Belgians.

The Queen.

Their Royal Highnesses The Prince and Princess of Wales.

An Evening Party afterwards was given in St. George's Hall, for which separate invitations were issued.

LIST of the Royal Personages and others invited to the Ceremony of the Marriage of Her Royal Highness The Princess Helena, of Great Britain and Ireland, with His Royal Highness the Prince Christian of Schleswig Holstein, K.G., in the Chapel within Windsor Castle, on Thursday, the 5th day of July, 1866.

(Those in *Italics* were unable to attend.)

THE QUEEN.

His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales, K.G.
Her Royal Highness The Princess of Wales.
His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh, K.G.
Her Royal Highness The Princess Louise.
His Royal Highness The Prince Arthur.
His Royal Highness The Prince Leopold.
Her Royal Highness The Princess Beatrice.
Her Royal Highness The Duchess of Cambridge.
His Royal Highness The Duke of Cambridge, K.G.
His Majesty Leopold II., King of the Belgians, K.G.
Her Majesty Marie Henriette, Queen of the Belgians.
His Serene Highness The Prince of Leiningen, G.C.B.
Her Grand Ducal Highness The Princess of Leiningen.

His Serene Highness The Prince Edward of Saxe-Weimar, C.B.
His Serene Highness The Prince Frederic of Schleswig Holstein-Sonderbourg-Augustenburg.
His Highness The Maharajah Duleep Singh, G.C.S.I.

THE BRIDE,

Her Royal Highness The Princess Helena of Great Britain and Ireland.

THE BRIDEGROOM,

His Royal Highness The Prince Christian of Schleswig Holstein, K.G

THE QUEEN'S HOUSEHOLD.

The Mistress of the Robes,
The Duchess of Wellington.

The Lady of the Bedchamber in Waiting,
The Duchess of Roxburghe.

The Maids of Honour in Waiting,
The Honourable Emily S. Cathcart.
The Honourable Horatia C. Stopford.

The Bedchamber Woman in Waiting,
The Honourable Mrs. Robert Bruce.

The Lord Steward,
The Earl of Bessborough.

The Lord Chamberlain,
The Viscount Sydney, G.C.B.

The Master of the Horse,
The Marquis of Ailesbury, K.G.

The Joint Keepers of the Privy Purse,
Lieut.-General The Hon. Charles Grey (Acting as Equerry),
Major-General Sir Thomas Myddelton Biddulph, K.C.B.

The Treasurer of the Household,
The Lord Otho Fitzgerald.

The Comptroller of the Household,
The Lord Proby.

The Vice-Chamberlain,
The Viscount Castlerosse.

The Gold Stick in Waiting,
General The Earl of Lucan, K.C.B.

The Captain of the Gentlemen-at-Arms,
The Lord Foley.

The Captain of the Yeomen of the Guard,
The Earl of Ducie.

The Master of the Buckhounds,
The Earl of Cork, K.P.

The Master of the Household,
Major Sir John Cowell, K.C.B.

The Lord in Waiting,
The Lord Methuen.

The Groom in Waiting,
Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. F. Cavendish,

The Clerk Marshal,
The Lord Alfred Paget.

The Equerries in Waiting,
Lieutenant-General The Hon. Charles Grey,
Colonel The Hon. Dudley F. De Ros.

The Groom of the Robes,
Major-General F. H. Seymour.

The Master of the Ceremonies,
General The Hon. Sir Edward Cust, K.C.H.

The Silver Stick in Waiting,
Lieutenant-Colonel R. Palmer, 2nd Life Guards.

The Field Officer in Brigade Waiting,
Colonel H. F. Ponsonby.

The Comptroller in the Lord Chamberlain's Department,
The Hon. Spencer Ponsonby.

The Gentleman Usher Daily Waiter and to the Sword of State,
Sir William Martins.

The Senior Gentleman Usher Quarterly Waiter,
Major-General Henry S. Stephens.

Garter King of Arms,
Sir Charles G. Young.

Lancaster Herald
Mr. Albert W. Woods.

Richmond Herald,
Mr. Matthew C. H. Gibbon.

ATTENDANTS ON HER ROYAL HIGHNESS THE BRIDE.

The Lady of the Bedchamber to the Queen, in attendance on Her Royal Highness,
The Lady Churchill.

The Bridesmaids,
The Lady Caroline Gordon Lennox.
The Lady Margaret Scott.
The Lady Albertha Hamilton.
The Lady Laura Phipps.
The Lady Alexandrina Murray.
The Lady Mary Fitzwilliam.
The Lady Ernestine Edgcumbe.
The Lady Muriel Campbell.

THE ATTENDANTS ON HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE BRIDEGROOM.

The Groom in Waiting to The Queen in Attendance on His Royal Highness,
Major-General F. Seymour, C.B.

The Gentleman of Honour to His Royal Highness The Bridegroom.
The Count Rantzau.

His Excellency The Turkish Ambassador.
His Excellency The Austrian Ambassador.
His Excellency The Russian Ambassador.
His Excellency The Prussian Ambassador.
His Excellency The French Ambassador.
The Belgian Minister.
The Portuguese Minister.
The Saxon Minister.
The Danish Minister.
The Hanoverian Minister.

The Archbishop of Canterbury.
The Dean of the Chapels Royal, The Bishop of London.
The Lord High Almoner, The Bishop of Oxford.
The Clerk of the Closet, The Bishop of Worcester.

The Prelate of the Order of the Garter, The Bishop of Winchester.
The Dean of Windsor and Resident Chaplain, The Honourable and Very Reverend G. V. Wellesley.
The Lord High Chancellor, The Lord Cranworth.
The Lord President of the Council, The Earl Granville, K.G.
The Lord Privy Seal, The Duke of Argyll, K.T.
The First Lord of the Treasury, The Earl Russell, K.G.
The Secretary of State for the Home Department, The Right Honourable Sir George Grey, Bart., G.C.B.
The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, The Earl of Clarendon, K.G., G.C.B.
The Secretary of State for the Colonies, The Right Honourable Edward Cardwell.
The Secretary of State for War, The Marquis of Hartington.
The Secretary of State for India, The Earl de Grey and Ripon.
The Chancellor of the Exchequer, The Right Honourable William Ewart Gladstone.
The First Lord of the Admiralty, The Duke of Somerset, K.G.
The Postmaster-General, The Lord Stanley of Alderley.
The Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster, The Right Honourable George J. Göschen.
The President of the Board of Trade, The Right Honourable T. Milner Gibson.
The President of the Poor Law Board, The Right Honourable Charles Pelham Villiers.
The Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, The Earl of Kimberley.
The First Commissioner of Works, The Right Honourable William F. Cowper.

The Adjutant-General, Major-General Lord William Paulet, K.C.B.
The Quartermaster-General, Lieut.-General Sir James Hope Grant, G.C.B.

THE HOUSEHOLD IN ATTENDANCE ON HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES.

The Groom of the Stole, The Earl Spencer, K.G.

The Lord of the Bedchamber in Waiting,
The Viscount Hamilton.

The Groom of the Bedchamber in Waiting,
The Honourable Chas. L. Wood.

The Comptroller and Treasurer,
Lieutenant-General Knollys.

The Equerry in Waiting, Major G. H. Grey.

THE HOUSEHOLD IN ATTENDANCE ON HER ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCESS OF WALES.

The Chamberlain, The Lord Harris, G.C.S.I.

The Lady of the Bedchamber in Waiting,
The Countess of Morton.

The Woman of the Bedchamber in Waiting,
The Honourable Mrs. Edward Coke.

IN ATTENDANCE ON THEIR MAJESTIES THE KING AND QUEEN OF THE BELGIANS.

The Grand Maréchal de la Cour,
The Comte Van der Straten-Ponthoz.

The Chamberlain to Her Majesty,
The Comte Gustave de Lannoy.

The Ladies in attendance on Her Majesty,
The Marquise de Trazegnies-Corroy,
The Comtesse d'Yves de Bavai.

The Secretary to His Majesty, Monsieur Jules de Vaux.
Officier d'Ordonnance to His Majesty, Monsieur Brewer.

The Lord in Waiting to The Queen in attendance on their Majesties,
The Lord Camoys.

The Equerry in Attendance on His Royal Highness The Duke of Edinburgh,
The Honourable Eliot Yorke.

The Governor to His Royal Highness The Prince Arthur,
Major Elphinstone, R.E., V.C., C.B.

The Governor to His Royal Highness The Prince Leopold,
Lieutenant Stirling, R.H.A.

Ladies in Attendance on Their Royal Highnesses the Princess Louise and The Princess Beatrice,
The Lady Caroline Barrington (The Lady Superintendent),
The Lady Augusta Stanley.

The Comptroller of the Household to Her Royal Highness The Duchess of Cambridge,
Colonel Home Purves.

The Lady in Waiting on Her Royal Highness The Duchess of Cambridge,
The Lady Geraldine Somerset.

The Equerry in Waiting on His Royal Highness The Duke of Cambridge,
Colonel Henry Clifton, attending on the part of His Royal Highness,
who was prevented by indisposition from being present.

The Gentleman in Attendance on His Highness The Maharajah Duleep Singh,
Colonel Oliphant.

HOUSEHOLD OF HER ROYAL HIGHNESS THE BRIDE,
AND OF
HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE BRIDEGROOM.

The Lady in Waiting on Her Royal Highness,
The Lady Susan Leslie Melville.

The Comptroller and Treasurer to Their Royal Highnesses,
Mr. Gardner D. Engleheart.

The Equerry to His Royal Highness,
Lieutenant-Colonel George G. Gordon.

SPECIAL INVITATIONS.

The Duke and Duchess of Richmond.
The Duke of Buccleuch, K.G., and The Duchess of Buccleuch.
The Duke of Roxburghe, K.T. (The Duchess in the Procession.)
The Duke of Wellington, K.G. (The Duchess in the Procession.)
The Countess Dornberg.
The Count and Countess Gleichen.
The Marquis of Abercorn, K.G., and *The Marchioness of Abercorn.*

The Marchioness of Ailesbury. (The Marquis in the Procession.)
The Marquis and Marchioness of Normanby.
The Countess of Bessborough. (The Earl in the Procession.)
The Earl of Derby, K.G.
The Dowager Countess of Dunmore.
The Earl Fitzwilliam, K.G., and The Countess Fitzwilliam.
The Dowager Countess of Mount Edgcumbe.
The Earl and Countess Cawdor.
The Viscountess Sydney. (The Viscount in the Procession.)
The Viscount Torrington.
The Viscount Eversley.
The Lady Emily and Honourable Miss Seymour.
The Honourable and Reverend Charles L. Courtenay and Lady Caroline Courtenay.
The Honourable Mrs. and Miss Grey.
Lieutenant-General The Right Honourable J. Peel.
The Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli.
Lieutenant-Colonel The Honourable H. Byng and Mrs. Byng.
The Honourable Mrs. Wellesley.
Major-General The Honourable A. N. Hood, The Lady Mary and Miss Hood.
The Honourable Lady Biddulph.
Sir James Clark, Baronet.

Dowager Lady Couper.
Dr. Jenner.
Sir Richard Mayne, K.C.B.
Mr. Woodward.
Mr. Sahl.
The Very Reverend The Dean of Westminster.
The Reverend Henry Ellison.
The Reverend St. John Blunt.
Dr. Robertson.
Miss Louisa Bowater.
Lieutenant-Colonel G. A. Maude, C.B., and Miss E. Maude.
Mr. Gibbs, C.B.
The Reverend H. Mildred Birch.
The Reverend W. R. Jolley.
The Reverend G. Prothero.
The Reverend R. Duckworth.
The Reverend N. Shuldham.
Mr. A. Buff.
Miss Hildyard.
Miss Bauer.
Mdlle. Norelle.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 20, 1866.

At the Court at Osborne, July 9, 1866.

THE Queen, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, has been graciously pleased by letters patent under Her Royal Sign Manual and the Great Seal of the Order, bearing date this day, to dispense with all the Statutes and regulations usually observed in regard to Installation, and to grant unto His Royal Highness Prince Frederic Christian Charles Augustus of Schleswig Holstein Sonderburg-Augustenburg, Knight of the said Most Noble Order and invested with the Ensigns thereof, full power and authority to exercise all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, in as full and ample a manner as if he had been formally installed, any decree, rule, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Foreign Office, July 17, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Joseph G. Morton as Consul at Barbadoes, of Mr. Luther P. Blodgett as Consul at St. John's, Canada East, and of Mr. E. Parker Scammon as Consul at Prince Edward Island, for the United States of America.

Whitehall, July 18, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, appointing the Most Noble Henry Charles Fitz-Roy, Duke of Beaufort, Master of the Horse to Her Majesty.

Whitehall, July 18, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Henry Lowry Corry to be the Fourth Charity Commissioner for England and Wales, in the room of the Right Honourable Henry Austin Bruce, resigned.

Crown Office, July 17, 1866.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Cambridge.

The Right Honourable Charles Philip Yorke (commonly called Viscount Royston), Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household.

July 19.

County of Antrim.

Rear-Admiral George Henry Seymour, C.B., one of the Commissioners for executing the office of Lord High Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

July 20.

County of Tyrone

The Right Honourable Claud Hamilton (commonly called Lord Claud Hamilton), Vice-Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household.

The Right Honourable Henry Thomas Lowry Corry, Vice-President of the Committee of Council for Education.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 19, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translations of a Circular and Decree of the Italian Government in regard to the exercise of Italian rights at sea during the present war:—

Florence,
June 20, 1866.

SIR,

WAR having been declared between Italy and Austria, the King's Government has considered it its duty to turn its attention to the method of regulating the exercise of its rights at sea.

For this purpose, it has adopted the provisions shown in the documents which I have the honour to enclose to you, in order that you may be able to give to the Government where you are residing all the information that may be required of you. You will draw special attention to the fact that the Italian Legislature was the first to consecrate, on condition of reciprocity, the principle that the merchant vessels of the enemy are exempt from capture and confiscation on the part of the vessels of the State; and that, as this maxim has been officially adopted by the Austrian Government, the benefit to be derived from it is fully assured to the citizens of the two States during the present war.

For the Minister,
(Signed) M. CERUTTI.

To H. M. Diplomatic Agents
and Consuls abroad.

VICTOR EMANUEL II, by the Grace of God and the will of the Nation, King of Italy.

Whereas a state of declared war exists between the Kingdom of Italy and the Empire of Austria.

Whereas having referred to Article 225 of the Mercantile Marine Code, having heard the Council of State, having listened to the Council of Ministers, on the proposition of Our Ministers for Foreign Affairs and for Marine Affairs, We have decreed and do decree as follows:

ARTICLE I.

The Commission of Prizes, contemplated by Article 225 of the Mercantile Marine Code, is established, and is to have its sittings in Florence.

ARTICLE II.

The Commission of Prizes consists of the Vice-President of the Admiralty Board, as President; of a member of the Admiralty Board; of three Councillors of Appeal; of a member of the Diplomatic Legal Board (*Consiglio del contenzioso Diplomatico*); of a superior functionary of the Mercantile Marine Administration; of a Government Commissioner and a Secretary, both without deliberative votes.

The Commissioner is charged to promote the proceedings in the name of the Government and to give his opinions; he cannot take part in the voting.

ARTICLE III.

The members of the Commission of Prizes, except the Secretary, are nominated by Us, on the proposition of Our Ministers for Foreign Affairs and for Marine Affairs.

On the occurrence of vacancies they are filled up in the same manner. The Secretary is to be

chosen by the Commission from among the functionaries of the Ministry for Foreign Affairs or of that for Marine Affairs.

Article IV.

The Commission has the power of selecting one from among its voting members to take the place of the President when he is absent.

Article V.

The Commission of Prizes has to decide upon the validity and upon the confiscation of the maritime prizes taken during the present war, according to the rules sanctioned by the mercantile marine code, and the instructions issued to the Commanders of the acting naval forces.

Article VI.

The deliberations of the Commission are valid when five members are present. In the event of an equality of votes, that of the President, or of the member who occupies his place, determines the majority.

Article VII.

The decisions of the Commission of Prizes shall be communicated to Our Minister for Foreign Affairs and for Marine Affairs, within eight days from their being arrived at.

Article VIII.

Appeals may be made from the decisions of the Commission of Prizes to the Council of State, which will pronounce definitively thereon, according to the form settled by its regulations. The appeal must be made within three months from the date of the decision, if it be promoted by the Government Commissioner, and within three

months from the day of the notification of the decision, if moved by the parties interested.

ARTICLE IX.

The parties may submit memorials, in writing, addressed to the President of the Commission.

Foreign consular agents may address to the Government Commissioner, such remarks as they may consider advisable in the interests of their countrymen.

ARTICLE X.

The expenses of the Secretariat and the other accessories for the service of the Commission of Prizes, shall form a special division in the accounts of the Ministry for Marine Affairs.

Our Ministers for Foreign Affairs, and for Marine Affairs, are charged with the execution of the present decree, which, when sealed with the State Seal shall be inserted in the official collection of the laws and decrees of the Kingdom of Italy; all concerned being commanded to observe it and to cause it to be observed.

Florence, 20th June, 1866.

VICTOR EMANUEL.
B. RICASOLI.
DEPRETIS.

Ministry for Foreign Affairs.

INSTRUCTIONS from the Minister for Marine Affairs to all Officers, General, Superior, and Subaltern, Commanding the Navy, the Squadrons, and the Vessels on Service.

War having been declared between the Kingdom of Italy and Austria, I have to give you such instructions as shall serve to regulate your conduct in the operations which our squadrons or detached ships will be called upon to perform.

And first of all I must recall to your attention, that Italy and Austria having signed the Declaration of 16th April, 1856, that emanated from the Congress of Paris, the principles announced therein are binding on both of them, and must be observed and upheld by the two Powers.

These principles are :—

1. Privateering is abolished and remains so.

2. The neutral flag covers the enemy's goods, with the exception of contraband of war.

3. Neutral merchandise, with the exception of contraband of war, cannot be sequestered under the hostile flag.

4. Blockades to be binding must be effectual, that is, they must be maintained with a sufficient force to prevent access to the hostile shore.

I therefore invite you to keep these maxims well in mind, as well as the others which I am about to lay down :

1.

From this instant you are called upon to pursue and to take possession of, by force of arms, every Austrian ship of war.

2.

Austria having by an Imperial Ordinance of 13th May last, declared her adhesion to the principle of reciprocity contemplated by Art. 211 of our Mercantile Marine Code, you will not seize merchant vessels of the enemy, nor their cargoes, except in the case of their carrying contraband of war, or attempting to violate a blockade.

3.

You will take care that the practice of fishing on the enemy's coasts shall not occasion any obstacle or detriment to the naval operations which you are called upon to perform.

4.

You will bear in mind that you must abstain from anv act of hostility whatever in the ports and in the territorial waters of Neutral Powers; remembering that the limits of the territorial waters extend to the distance of a cannon shot from the shore.

5.

You will capture merchant vessels, whether national, neutral, or hostile, which—

A. Attempt to violate a blockade;
B. Carry contraband of war on account of, or intended for the enemy.

6.

As a matter of course, the violation of blockade consists either of an attempt to get into the place blockaded, or to come out of it, after the declaration of blockade, unless, in the latter case, the vessel concerned be in ballast or have a cargo taken in before the blockade, or within the period fixed by the commander of the blockading squadron, which period ought always to be sufficient for the protection of bonâ fide commerce and navigation.

7.

A blockade is not legally known to a vessel bound to a blockaded port until a special notification thereof has been entered on its papers by one of the blockading ships of war. This is a formality which you must never neglect to fulfil whenever you are engaged in a service of this kind.

8.

The following are contraband of war:—cannon, mortars, firelocks, carbines, revolvers, pistols,

sabres, and other portable and fire-arms of all kinds; projectiles, gunpowder, guncotton, munitions of war of all kinds whatsoever; soldiers and marines, whether regulars or volunteers; implements and articles of military clothing and armament; despatches and official correspondence; and generally, everything which can, without further manipulation, serve for immediate military or naval armament; sulphur and saltpetre are also considered contraband of war.

9.

If a neutral vessel desires to enter a blockaded port on account of distress at sea, occasioned by bad weather, want of provisions, &c., you shall allow it to do so, on proof of the existing necessity which compels it; but if the ship carry contraband of war, you shall cause it to be deposited on board your own ship, or one of the others which are maintaining the blockade.

10.

In fulfilment of the duties resulting from the preceding instructions, you will have to exercise the right of search, and, therefore, I have to point out to you how you are to proceed, in order that no disagreeable difficulty may arise therefrom. Although in time of war, this right may be unlimited (except in regard to what is said in the paragraph letter E), nevertheless, I recommend you not to exercise it except in places and under circumstances which give good reasons for believing that its exercise may result in the confiscation of the vessel searched.

You will, therefore, proceed in the following manner:—

A. When you have to reconnoitre and search a merchant vessel, you will hoist the national

flag, and, at the same time, discharge an unshotted gun; the vessel ought to reply to this signal by hoisting its own flag. If it does not obey, you will act according to the service regulations until it does so.

B. If the merchant vessel stops at once and hoists its own flag, you will remain at what you think a fitting distance, according to the state of the wind and the sea, or other circumstances which cannot be foreseen here, but always watching over the safety of the boat which you send to reconnoitre. In this contingency, however, I recommend to you the greatest care that, in the case in question, moderation be conjoined with the aid which the boat sent to reconnoitre may stand in need of; and you will be able to manœuvre in conformity with what is said at the beginning of this paragraph.

C. As soon as the merchant vessel has lain-to, you will send to her a boat under the command of an officer. This officer, accompanied by two or three men only, will go on board and ascertain the nationality and the description of the vessel, and whether it is engaged in unlawful commerce or not, that is, whether it carries articles or other matters contraband of war. For this purpose the officer shall require the captain to show him the patent of nationality, the muster-roll of the crew, the bill of health of the place where he comes from, and the documents which show the nature of the cargo; and if, from the examination of these, it shall appear that the vessel has no contraband of war on account of and intended for the enemy, the visitation will be thus at an end, and the vessel will be left at liberty, after having the entry made in its papers accordingly. But if these documents prove the existence of contraband of war on board, you will capture the vessel, take

possession of its papers, and proceed according to the directions of the service regulations, bearing in mind that even in this last case you must not have the hatches, cupboards, and other receptacles opened for the purpose of ascertaining whether there are other suspicious papers or goods.

D. It is to be understood, however, that all that is pointed out in the paragraphs of this Article in no way alters the discipline prescribed in the case of an infringement of blockade.

E. You must remember that if accidental circumstances remove you from the line of blockade, or carry you into the territorial waters of a neutral country, the right of search must cease in those waters, according to what is said in Article 4, preceding.

11.

You will not visit vessels in a convoy escorted by a neutral ship of war; you will limit yourself to asking the Commander of the convoy for a list the ships placed under his protection, with a declaration that there is no contraband of war on board of them, on account of or intended for the enemy. If, nevertheless, you have reason to suppose that the good faith of the Commander of the convoy has been imposed upon, you will communicate your suspicions to him, and he will proceed alone to search the suspected vessel.

12.

In the event of capturing a vessel of war you will confine yourself to a statement of the fact in your journal, and you will provide for conducting the prize in the manner best adapted for the safety of the crews to which you entrust it, bearing in

mind Article 94 of the regulations for service on board.

Florence, June 30, 1866.

(Signed) DEPRETIS,
Minister for Marine Affairs.

A true copy.

(Signed) C. DI BROCCHETTI,
Director-General of the Naval Service.

(1155.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 19, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Cadiz, of which the following is an extract:—

The Board of Health here have to-day decided to consider London and Southampton as infected ports since the 26th of June.

All arrivals thence are therefore refused admittance here without having performed quarantine at the Lazaretto of Vigo, or that of Port Mahon, where eight or perhaps ten days' observation is usually exacted.

(1174.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 19, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Lords of the Admiralty copy of a letter from Captain Prevost, dated 6th instant, reporting quarantine imposed by the Board of Health, Gibraltar, viz.: ten days on vessels from London, Liverpool, and Southampton.

Three days of observation from any other ports of the United Kingdom.

Five days quarantine on arrivals from Malta, Alexandria, and Constantinople.

War Office, Pall Mall,
20th July, 1866.

14th Regiment of Hussars, Cornet and Adjutant Joseph Harpur to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Cornet Thomas Allan Henry to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James George Glyn Shaw, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

George Bryan Cooke Yarborough, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Henry. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel William David Aitken, on the Supernumerary List, to be Colonel. Dated 26th April, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Bondler Fuller to be Colonel, vice Charles Lucas, promoted to the rank of Major-General. Dated 26th April, 1866.

Captain Joseph Shekleton to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Fuller. Dated 26th April, 1866.

Second Captain Arthur Reginald Hoskins to be Captain, vice Shekleton. Dated 26th April, 1866.

Lieutenant Edmund George Battiscombe to be Second Captain, vice Hoskins. Dated 1st May, 1866.

Lieutenant Percy Bury Raikes to be Second Captain, vice H. M. Cadell, retired upon half-pay. Dated 25th June, 1866.

The promotion of Lieutenant Arthur Thomas B. Stevenson to Second Captain to be antedated to 26th April, 1866.

The retirement on half-pay of Second Captain John R. Pearson, and the consequent promotion of Lieutenant Edward H. Ryan, to bear date the *10th*, and not the *12th*, of May, as stated in the Gazette of the 29th May, 1866.

Royal Engineers, Captain John Augustus Fuller to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. B. G. Close, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 20th June, 1866.

Second Captain Irwin Montgomery Greig to be Captain, vice Fuller. Dated 20th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Walter Manson to be Second Captain, vice Greig. Dated 20th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Cecil Moore to be placed on the Retired List on account of ill health. Dated 7th June, 1866.

Military Train, Lieutenant George Faulkner Wilkinson to be Captain, by purchase, vice S. Lavalliere Curgenven, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign Franklin Ludovic Berthon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Wilkinson. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign George Phibbs to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Edward Frere Vibart, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Frederick Francis Wilder Taylor, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Berthon. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Edwin Newdigate Newbury, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Phibbs. Dated 21st July, 1866.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Henry C. Jervoise to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice William

Henry Reeve, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant Henry Robert Eyre to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice C. Walter Lee-Mainwaring, who retires. Dated 21st June, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant John Barton Sterling to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Jervoise. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant George Gordon Macpherson to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable Frederick Charles Howard, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

The Honourable Henry William Lowry Corry to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Eyre. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Robert William Webb Follett, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sterling. Dated 21st July, 1866.

The Honourable Evelyn Edward Thomas Boscawen to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Macpherson. Dated 22nd July, 1866.

1*st Regiment of Foot*, Captain Henry Francis Bythesea to be Major, without purchase, vice Major and Brevet-Colonel Francis Gregor Urquhart, C.B, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Lieutenant William Freeborn to be Captain, without purchase, vice Bythesea. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign Charles Henry Sanford to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Freeborn. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Richard Henry Derman, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, with-

out purchase, vice Sanford. Dated 20th July, 1866.

2*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Kelly to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Charles Tyrwhitt Drake, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign Arthur Thomas Mudge to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kelly. Dated 20th July, 1866.

William Hutchinson Marsh, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mudge. Dated 20th July, 1866.

4*th Foot*, Lieutenant John William Goddard Telfer to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant James Henry McEwen, appointed Adjutant. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Lieutenant James Henry McEwen to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Oswald Robert Middleton, promoted. Dated 20th July, 1866.

8*th Foot*, John Mount Batten to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Jeremy Peyton Jones, appointed Adjutant. Dated 15th June, 1866.

17*th Foot*, Ensign Robert Loring has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 20th July, 1866.

37*th Foot*, Lieutenant George Hall, from half-pay, late 1st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice F. O. Sargeant, appointed Paymaster, 59th Foot. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign William Boyle Moore to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Hall, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Francis Richard Begbie, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Moore. Dated 20th July, 1866.

43*rd Foot*, Captain Thomas Horan to be Major, without purchase, vice Thomas E. Holmes,

promoted to a Half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 20th July, 1866.

53*rd Foot*, Captain Brownlow North Garnier to be Major, by purchase, vice Sidney Godolphin Quicke, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Lieutenant William Loraine Geddes to be Captain, by purchase, vice Garnier. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign George Reed Carr to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Geddes. Dated 20th July, 1866.

59*th Foot*, Lieutenant Francis Openshaw Sargeant, from the 37th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Major, Francis Levett Bennett, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 20th July, 1866.

64*th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Joseph Jekyll to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant William James Voules, who has resigned the appointment. Dated 18th June, 1866.

65*th Foot*, Staff Surgeon William Alexander Davidson, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Thomas Esmonde White, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 20th July, 1866.

80*th Foot*, Captain and Brevet-Major Frederick Miller to be Major, without purchase, vice Edward Hardinge, deceased. Dated 31st May, 1866.

96*th Foot*, The third Christian name of Ensign Willoughby, appointed on the 15th June, 1866, is *Percival*.

1*st West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Francis Archibald Stewart, from the 3rd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas England, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

2nd West India Regiment, Ensign Malcolm MacGregor to be Lieutenant, without purchase. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Patrick Molle Lawe, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Henry Mitchell, who retires. Dated 20th July, 1866.

3rd West India Regiment, Ensign Arthur Coombs to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Francis Archibald Stewart, transferred to the 1st West India Regiment. Dated 20th July, 1866.

William Forster Camplin Gray, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Coombs. Dated 20th July, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Major Thomas E. Holmes, from the 43rd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Edward Thomas Wickham, from the 61st Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Thomas Esmonde White, M.D., from the 65th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff Surgeon William Alexander Davidson, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 20th July, 1866.

BREVET.

Major and Brevet Colonel Francis Gregor Urquhart, C.B., retired full-pay, late 1st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Colonel William Thomas Blewett Mounsteven, retired full-pay and late Staff Officer of Pensioners, to have the honorary

rank of Major-General. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Major, Francis Levett Bennett, half-pay late 59th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th July, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Edmonds Holmes, upon half-pay late 43rd Foot, has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum of 15th February, 1861. Dated 20th July, 1866.

India Office, 18*th July*, 1866.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Bombay Staff Corps, made by the Government of Bombay:—

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Fisher, 95th Foot. Dated 30th November, 1855.

Lieutenant Charles Swinhoe, 56th Foot. Dated 8th September, 1859.

Lieutenant James Philips, 33rd Foot. Dated 2nd July, 1861.

Lieutenant Alfred Lionel McNair, 106th Foot. Dated 26th October, 1864.

Admiralty, 17*th July*, 1866.

Alfred Messum, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 19th July, 1866.

George Mills, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cambridge.

Charles Peter Allix, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

Royal Glamorgan Artillery Militia.

John Heyworth, Esq., to be Captain, vice Bateman, resigned. Dated 12th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Royal North Lincoln Militia.

The Honourable Evelyn Cornwallis Anderson Pelham to be Lieutenant, vice Langton, resigned. Dated 12th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain Hubert De Burgh to be Major. Dated 28th June, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 24, 1866.

Whitehall, July 21, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Sir Frederick Pollock, of Hatton, in the county of Middlesex, Knt., late Chief Baron of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Henry Edwards, of Pyenest, in the West Riding of the county of York, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto William Williams, of Tregullow, in the county of Cornwall, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Whitehall, July 23, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Robert Pipon Marett, Esq., the office and place of Procurator-General in the Island of Jersey, in the room of John William Dupré, Esq., deceased.

The Queen has also been pleased to grant unto George Helier Horman, Esq., the office and place

of Advocate-General of the Island of Jersey, in the room of Robert Pipon Marett, Esq., appointed Procurator-General of that Island.

Whitehall, July 23, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Tait, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shire or Sheriffdom of Perth, in the room of Edward Strathearn Gordon, Esq., resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint George Monro, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shires or Sheriffdoms of Linlithgow, Clackmannan, and Kinross, in the room of John Tait, Esq., resigned.

Foreign Office, July 23, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. Alfred Hasche as Consul at Penang for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

Crown Office, July 23, 1866.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Bridgnorth.

Henry Whitmore, Esq., one of the Commissioners for executing the Office of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain and Lord High Treasurer of Ireland.

July 24.

County of Hertford.

Abel Smith, of Woodhall Park, in the county of Hertford, Esq., in the room of the Right Honourable Sir Edward George, Earl Lytton Bulwer-Lytton, Bart., now Lord Lytton, summoned to the House of Peers.

Borough of Petersfield.

William Nicholson, of Basing Park, in the county of Southampton, Esq., in the room of the Right Honourable Sir William George Hylton Jolliffe, Bart., now Lord Hylton, summoned to the House of Peers.

Crown Office, July 23, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased by several letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to constitute and appoint—

James Dickinson, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq.;
Robert Scarr Sowler, of the Middle Temple, Esq.;
Samuel Prentice, of the Middle Temple, Esq.;
Thomas Jones, of the Middle Temple, Esq.;
Charles Edward Pollock, of the Inner Temple, Esq.;
William Adam Mundell, of the Middle Temple, Esq.;
Richard Garth, of Lincoln's-inn, Esq.;
Sir George Essex Honyman, Bart., of the Middle Temple; and
John Richard Quain, of the Middle Temple, Esq.,

to be of Her Majesty's Council learned in the Law.

(1186).

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 23, 1866.

THE Right Honorable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Notice which has been issued by the Hanoverian Ministry of Finance and Trade forbidding the export of horses, and the

export and transmission of munitions of war from and through the Kingdom of Hanover until the 1st of October next.

(1187).

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 23, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade hereby give notice that the Moniteur of the 17th instant contains a report to the Emperor, together with an Imperial Decree, on the subject of herring and mackerel fisheries.

Admiralty, 18*th July*, 1866.

Lieutenant Hugh Campbell to be Commander.

Queen's Commission.

Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery Militia.

Reginald Henry Champion, Major half-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Adjutant, from the 12th April, 1866, vice Ward, retired. Dated 23rd April, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery Militia.

Captain William Ward to have the honorary rank of Major, from the 11th April, 1866, when he retired from the Adjutancy.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ross.

Thomas Mackenzie, Esq., to be Vice Lieutenant. Dated 14th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Dorset Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Albert Willmott to be Captain, vice Gould, resigned. Dated 18th July, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Militia.

John Barrett Lennard Nevinson, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 14th July, 1866.

Hubert Churchill Gould, Esq., to be Captain, vice Byrne, resigned. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.

Queen's Own Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain Frederick Winn Knight to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Pakington, resigned. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederick Smith to be Captain, vice Bennitt, resigned. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Lieutenant Edward W. Haywood to be Captain, vice Knight, promoted. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Lieutenant John S. Isaac to be Captain, vice Berkeley, resigned. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Cornet Samuel Charles Allsopp to be Lieutenant, vice Galton, deceased. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Cornet John Henry Empson to be Lieutenant, vice Moilliett, resigned. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Cornet Edmund A. Nuttall Royds to be Lieutenant, vice Isaac, promoted. Dated 16th July, 1866.

..ry Francis Dowdeswell, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 16th July, 1866.

William Henry Bagnall, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 16th July, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

3rd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

William Vernon, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Cadman, resigned. Dated 29th June, 1866.

4th West York Militia.

William Vincent Bowen Hewett, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Stow, deceased. Dated 14th July, 1866.

2nd West Yorkshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Rothwell, Esq., to be Captain, vice Haigh, who retires. Dated 21st June, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

3rd West York Militia.

Lieutenant Frederick A. Roberts and Assistant-Surgeon Richard Hayes Pery, who were absent without leave from the training of the Regiment, have been removed from the strength of the Regiment.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 27, 1866.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight,* the 26th day of *July,* 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Lord President of the Council; the Right Honourable the Earl of Derby, First Lord Commissioner of Her Majesty's Treasury; the Right Honourable the Earl of Carnarvon, the Right Honourable Robert Arthur Cecil (commonly called Viscount Cranborne), the Right Honourable Edward Henry Stanley (commonly called Lord Stanley), and the Right Honourable General Peel, four of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State; the Secretary of State for the Home Department for the time being; the Right Honourable Henry Thomas Lowry Corry, Vice-President; the Right Honourable Sir John Pakington, Baronet, First Lord Commissioner of the Admiralty; the Right Honourable the Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of Her Majesty's Exchequer; the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Baronet, President of the Board of Trade; and the Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy, President of the Poor Law Board; to be a Committee of Council to superintend the application of any sums of money voted by Parliament for the purpose of promoting Public Education.

Crown Office, July 26, 1866.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Peebles.

Sir Graham Graham Montgomery, of Stanhope, Bart., one of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

County of Suffolk.

Eastern Division.

Sir Edward Clarence Kerrison, Bart., of Brome Hall and Oakley Park, in the said county, in the room of Sir FitzRoy Kelly, Chief Baron of Her Majesty's Exchequer.

The Honourable John Major Henniker-Major, of Thornham Hall, in the said county, in the room of John, Lord Henniker, now Baron Hartismere, called up to the House of Peers.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 25, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a notice as to the ingress and egress of ships at the ports of Gravosa, Traste, Budua, and the port of war of Cattaro.

(Translation).

Imp. R. Command of Brigade of General Morhammer.

MOST VALUED SIR,

WITH reference to a (verbal) communication made to you by the Central Port and Health Office in consequence of a telegraphic

request made by me, I have the honour to make known the dispositions which his Excellency the Lieutenant Governor, Commander-in-Chief and Lieutenant-General Baron Philippovick, has issued in order to regulate during the war the ingress of ships into the ports of Gravosa, Traste, Budua, and into the port of war of Cattaro.

Every merchant ship of larger size, that is to say from brigs upwards, and every steamer entering into the port of Gravosa, whether by day or by night, will be obliged by the battery of Lapad to stop in the canal of Calumatio, and until pratique is received from the Harbour Office of Gravosa will not be permitted to enter the port. The ingress into the Bocche di Cattaro is permitted only in the-day time. Merchant vessels, from brigs upwards, and all steamers, must always enter between the Punta d'Ostro and Fort Mumiela, and never by the other mouth, that is to say between Fort Manuela and La Punta d'Arza.

Such ships ought thence always to bear direct for Megline. Ingress to Cattaro is prohibited to every ship at night. At the port of Traste by day and by night ingress is prohibited to larger vessels, *i.e.*, to brigs upwards and to steamers.

Entrance to Budua is prohibited during the night.

Entrance by day is prohibited at Plasamano, Tasi, and Malakuka, until vessels have received pratique in the Health Office of Budua.

Entrance into these three ports is prohibited by night, as at Budua.

Cattaro, 1st July, 1866,

(Signed) G. MORHAMMER, Major-General.

To the Honourable Consulate of
H. B. Majesty in Ragusa.

(1205.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 26, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice issued by the Prussian Government, to the effect that all goods liable to duty, even when destined for States of Southern Germany at war with Prussia, are allowed to pass without duty being levied upon them at the Prussian frontier.

(1213.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 26, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Tunis, reporting that the Tunisian Sanitary Board has subjected the steamer "Corsaira," from London, to forty-eight hours quarantine.

(1294.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 26, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received Notice from Her Majesty's Consul at Ancona, that a quarantine of fifteen days is imposed upon all arrivals at that port from Liverpool and Marseilles.

War Office, Pall Mall,
27th July, 1866.

1*st Regiment of Life Guards*, Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant John Henry De la Poer, Earl of

Tyrone, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Lewis Watson, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

James Graham, Marquis of Graham, to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Earl of Tyrone. Dated 27th July, 1866.

3rd Hussars, Lieutenant Henry Francis Dent to be Captain, by purchase, vice Frederick Grant Forsyth Grant, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Cornet Albert Praed Hallifax to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dent. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Ernest Augustus Belford, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Hallifax. Dated 27th July, 1866.

7th Hussars, Charles FitzGerald Thomson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice James Moffat, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

9th Lancers, Cornet Hugh McCalmont to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hamilton Hamilton Johnston, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Francis Alphonse Herbert, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice McCalmont. Dated 27th July, 1866.

11th Hussars, Cornet Herbert Wynne Apperley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ronald Mackintosh, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Alan Coulston Gardner, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Apperley. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant Alan Coulston Gardner has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 27th July, 1866.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant St. George Gray to be Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable Thomas O. Westenra Plunkett, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Ensign Francis Charteris Henry Brooke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gray. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Augustus William Munsey, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Brooke. Dated 27th July, 1866.

2nd Foot, Captain Thomas Francis Beamish, from half-pay, late 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice William M. Dixwell Alderson, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 27th July, 1866.

5th Foot, The third Christian name of Ensign Hunt, appointed on the 15th June last, is *Carew*.

6th Foot, Ensign William Owen Lanyon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Harrison Falcon, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Frank Longbourne, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lanyon. Dated 27th July, 1866.

13th Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant Alfred Griffin to be Quartermaster, vice Thomas Hoban, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 27th July, 1866.

15th Foot, Ensign Henry Laurence Dundas to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Lewis Riall, promoted. Dated 27th July, 1866.

16th Foot, Lieutenant George Lee LeMesurier Taylor to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Lancelot Le Feuvre, who has resigned the appointment. Dated 26th February, 1866.

Ensign John Edward Orange to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice James Bell, deceased. Dated 19th June, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet George Mainwaring, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Orange. Dated 27th July, 1866.

26th Foot, Major Simpson Hackett, from the 28th Foot, to be Major, vice Calcott, who exchanges. Dated 27th July, 1866.

28th Foot, Major Charles Rowland Berkeley Calcott, from the 26th Foot, to be Major, vice Hackett, who exchanges. Dated 27th July, 1866.

32nd Foot, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Bassano to be Major, without purchase, vice Robert Stacy Colls, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 27th July, 1866.

41st Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Rowlands to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Julius Edmund Goodwyn, C.B., seconded on appointment to the command of a Brigade in India. Dated 23rd March, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles P. Bertram to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Rowlands. Dated 23rd March, 1866.

Lieutenant Richard Pack to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Bertram. Dated 23rd March, 1866.

Ensign George West Barnes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Pack. Dated 23rd March, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Lawrence Dinwiddie, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Barnes. Dated 27th July, 1866.

43rd Foot, Ensign John S. Langlands, from the 97th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Sir Charles Legard, Bart., who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

54th Foot, Major James Sinclair Thomson to be Lieutenant - Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Charles Herbert, C.B., who retires upon full-pay. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Captain Edward Thomas Shiffner to be Major, without purchase, vice Thomson. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Lieutenant John Ayton Wood to be Captain, without purchase, vice Shiffner. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Ensign Charles Frederick Carey to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Wood. Dated 27th July, 1866.

55th Foot, Ensign Robert Patch to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas Dunn, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1886.

Gentleman Cadet Audley Walter Washbourne Money-Kyrle, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Patch. Dated 27th July, 1866.

63rd Foot, Major and Brevet-Colonel John Blaquiere Mann, from half-pay, late 90th Foot, to be Major, vice Robert Prescott Harrison, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Captain Archibald Wybergh to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Mann, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

66th Foot, Captain Thomas Henry Sangster, from the 106th Foot, to be Captain, vice Westropp, who exchanges. Dated 27th July, 1866.

68th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Reeder Clarkson to be Captain, by purchase, vice George John Arata Oakley, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

77th Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant George Hope to be Quartermaster, vice Henry Blissett, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 27th July

87*th Foot*, Lieutenant Anderson James Ashmore to be Captain, by purchase, vice Anthony Butler, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Ensign William Gostwyck Gard to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Richard Hay Kirkbride Saul, who retires. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Ensign Evelyn Campbell Money to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ashmore. Dated 27th July, 1866.

George Christopher Oldfield Courtenay, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Gard. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Evelyn Charles Martin, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Money. Dated 28th July, 1866.

90*th Foot*, The name of the Quartermaster appointed on the 23rd March, 1866, is *Gibbins*, and not *Gibbings*, as then stated.

97*th Foot*, Dacres Thomas Charles Belgrave, Gent., to be Ensign. by purchase, vice John S. Langlands, transferred to the 43rd Foot. Dated 27th July, 1866.

106*th Foot*, Captain Robert G. Westropp, from the 65th Foot, to be Captain, vice Sangster. who exchanges. Dated 27th July, 1866.

CAVALRY DEPOT.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Burgoyne Cureton, from half-pay, late 12th Lancers, to be Assistant-Commandant, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel C. Higginson Teush-Hecker, Unattached, promoted Commandant. Dated 27th July, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Assistant-Surgeon Richard William Hare, M.B., Supernumerary in the 80th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Frederick Powell, appointed to the 1st Foot. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon William Orr, Supernumerary in the 18th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Patrick Barrett Kearney, placed upon half-pay. Dated 27th July, 1866.

The surname of the Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, promoted, in the Gazette of the 5th June, 1855, to be Inspector-General of Hospitals, with local rank, and of the Inspector-General of Hospitals, on half-pay, appointed Honorary Physician to Her Majesty, in the Gazette of the 16th August, 1859, is *Fergusson*, and not *Ferguson*, as then stated.

HALF-PAY.

Major Robert Stacy Colls, from the 32nd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain Alfred Wright, from the 81st Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles Beamish, retired upon full-pay, 35th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Quartermaster Henry Blissett, half-pay, late 77th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Quartermaster Thomas Hoban, half-pay, late 13th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Admiralty, 25th July, 1866.

The following promotions have this day been made :—

Mr. James Young to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Joseph Thomas Robinson to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Evan Lloyd Williams to be Acting Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. James McGough to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. James Wilson to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Peter Eckford to be Acting Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. James Crawford to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Angus Leitch to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Thomas Scott (B) to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. William Barclay to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Daniel A. Campbell to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. James Elwess to be Acting Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Queen's Own Regiment of Dorsetshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Lord Digby to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Lord Rivers, deceased. Dated 19th July, 1866.

Lieutenant Lord Richard de Aquila Grosvenor to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Lord Digby, promoted. Dated 19th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

East Suffolk Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant James Killery to be Captain, vice Rowley, resigned. Dated 5th July, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

West Essex Militia.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Quartermaster William Philip D'Allington Jones, late Captain 4th Royal Middlesex Militia, being allowed the honorary rank of Captain.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette regulating the postage to be charged on letters posted in any part of the United Kingdom, or in any British Colony or foreign country, addressed to any place in Portugal, Madeira, the Azores, or the Portuguese possessions on the West Coast of Africa, or posted in any of such last-mentioned countries or places respectively, addressed to any part of the United Kingdom or to any British colony or foreign country.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 31, 1866.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight* the 26th day of *July*, 1866.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that Richmond and Southwark shall respectively be polling places for

the eastern division of the county of Surrey; and, further, that St. Mary Magdalen, Bermondsey, shall cease to be a polling place for the said division of the said county.

Whitehall, July 28, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Lieutenant-General the Right Honourable Sir Hugh Henry Rose, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., General Commanding Her Majesty's Forces in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Strathnairn, of Strathnairn, in the county of Nairn, and of Jhansi, in the East Indies.

Whitehall, July 30, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John McDougall to the church at Carnoch, in Strathconan, in the presbytery of Dingwall and shire of Ross, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend James Skinner Mackenzie to the church and parish of Little Dunkeld.

Osborne, July 26, 1866.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon William Bovill, Esq., M.P., Q.C., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

St. James's Palace, July 30, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Walter George Stirling, Royal Horse Artillery, to be an Extra Groom in Waiting to Her Majesty.

Foreign Office, July 23, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Gifford Palgrave, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at the Ports of Soukhoum Kalé and Redout Kalé.

India Office, July 27, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Benson Maxwell, Knt., at present Recorder of Prince of Wales's Island, to be Recorder of Singapore.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Hackett, Esq., late Chief Justice of the Gold Coast, to be Recorder of Prince of Wales's Island.

Crown Office, July 28, 1866.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Eye.

The Honourable George William Barrington, of No. 19, Hertford-street, in the county of Middlesex, in the room of Sir Edward Clarence Kerrison, Bart., who has accepted the office of Steward or Bailiff of Her Majesty's Manor of Northstead, in the county of York.

July 31.

College of the Holy Trinity, Dublin.

John Edward Walsh, LL.D., Her Majesty's Attorney-General for Ireland, in the room of the Right Honourable James Whiteside, who has accepted the office of Lord Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench in Ireland.

(1165.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 30, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, reporting that the quarantine on vessels arriving from Birkenhead and Liverpool has been removed, but that a quarantine of eleven days has been imposed on arrivals from Nantes and Antwerp.

(1228.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 30, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a notification from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to the effect that a quarantine of fifteen days is imposed upon all vessels arriving at Italian ports from Liverpool and Marseilles.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carmarthen.

Royal Carmarthen Artillery Militia.

Arthur Price Jones, Esq., to be Major, vice Lewes, promoted. Dated 14th July, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 3, 1866.

Whitehall, August 2, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Honourable Edward Gordon Douglas Pennant, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Penrhyn, of Llandegai, in the county of Carnarvon.

Whitehall, August 3, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George Burnett, Esq., Advocate, to the office of Lyon King of Arms, for that part of the United Kingdom called Scotland.

Foreign Office July 31, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. Albert E. Denso as Consul at Kurrachee for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Darius B. Warner as Consul at St. John, New Brunswick, and of Mr. Edward Maynard as Consul at Turk's Island, for the United States of America.

Whitehall, July 30, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto George Hampden Cameron, of Hampden, in

the county of Buckingham, Esquire, second son of Donald Cameron, of Lochiel, in the county of Inverness, Esquire, deceased, by Catherine Vere Louisa, his wife, sister of George Robert, Earl of Buckinghamshire, Her Royal licence and authority, that he may (in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal uncle, the said George Robert, Earl of Buckinghamshire) henceforth take and use the surname of Hampden, in addition to and after that of Cameron, and bear the arms of Hampden, quarterly, in the first quarter, with those of Cameron, and that the said surname and arms may, in like manner, be taken, used, and borne by his issue; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War Office, Pall Mall,
3rd August, 1866.

5th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant James Dyson Bourne to be Captain, by purchase, vice Thomas Lewis Hampton, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Cornet Henry John Blumberg to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bourne. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Frederick Ferdinand Burkinyoung, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Blumberg. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

7th Hussars, Veterinary Surgeon Francis Walker, from the Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary

Surgeon, vice John Burr, superseded for being absent without leave. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Corps of Royal Engineers, Colonel Sir William Thomas Denison, K.C.B., to be removed from the Seconded to the Supernumerary List. Dated 27th March, 1866.

Lieutenant Valentine Gardner Clayton to be Second Captain, vice Brevet-Major G. Longley, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1866.

Military Train, Captain William John Lane Milligan, from the 73rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Shaw, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Coldstream Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Charles Dashwood Thomas to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Reginald A. E. Cathcart, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Archibald, Earl of Cassillis, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Ponsonby Bagot to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Edward Pennefather Wade Browne, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Mildmay Willson Willson, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vich Bagot. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

1*st Regiment of Foot*, Captain George Rowland to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Mein, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

12*th Foot*, Captain Thomas George Vereker to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieu-

tenant-Colonel William James Hutchins, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

15*th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Edmund Layard to be Captain, by purchase, vice F. B. Ehrenberg Allhusen, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Ensign John Gwennap Dennis Moore to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Layard. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet William Andrew Cuthell, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Dundas, promoted. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Raymond Henry De la Poer, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Moore. Dated 4th August, 1866.

17*th Foot*, Captain David Frederick Allen has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

24*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Malo de Rune Barclay has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

31*st Foot*, Ensign Henry William Bateman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Gower Brakspear, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

40*th Foot*, Captain William Hickes Hornden Messenger has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

52*nd Foot*, Ensign the Honourable Alfred Hood has been permitted to retire from the service by

the sale of his Commission. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

59*th Foot*, Lieutenant Robert Staveley Shinkwin to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Richard Dane, promoted. Dated 5th July, 1866.

60*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Warren to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Pennyman White Worsley, appointed to the Staff at Hythe. Dated 27th June, 1866.

64*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Frederick Herbert Saunders, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice William John Jackson, transferred to the 35th Foot. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

73*rd Foot*, Captain Wilkinson Shaw, from the Military Train, to be Captain, vice Milligan, who exchanges. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

82*nd Foot*, Lieutenant E. Seppings Lock to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Spencer, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Ensign Thomas William O'Driscoll to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lock. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

James Brown McDougal, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice O'Driscoll. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

86*th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Osborne Creagh, from half-pay, late 86th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Thomas Bromhead Butt, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Darby to be Major, without purchase, vice Charles Osborne Creagh, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

89*th Foot*, Ensign Duncan Campbell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Herbert Rudall, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Arthur William Carter, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Campbell. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

94*th Foot*, Ensign John Mitchell Elliot to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Valentine Cullinan, who retires. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Wadham Locke, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Elliot. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

DEPOT BATTALIONS.

Captain Hugh Mackenzie, 15th Foot, to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Captain William Newenham Morris Orpen, 77th Foot, the Depôt of which has been moved to another station. Dated 23rd June, 1866.

Captain Sydenham Malthus, 94th Foot, to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Captain Constantine William Septimus Gaynor, 38th Foot, moved to another station. Dated 29th June, 1866.

Captain George Wedderburne, 7th Foot, to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Captain S. Blomefield Kekewich, 6th Foot, moved to another station. Dated 15th July, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

The under-mentioned Staff Surgeons having completed twenty years' full-pay service to be Surgeons Major under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866 :—

Edward William Bawtree, M.D. Dated 6th July, 1866.

Robert Thornton. Dated 6th July, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick R. Mein, from the 1st Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William James Hutchins, from the 12th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Major Henry Call Lodder, from the 47th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Major Charles Osborne Creagh, from the 86th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Francis P. Cassidy, from the 34th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Henry Ferdinand Turner, from the 65th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain John William Preston, from the 28th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BREVET.

Major Edward Hungerford Eager, Half-pay Depôt Battalion, and late Assistant Adjutant General in Tasmania, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Memorandum.

Major Francis P. Cassidy, half-pay, late 34th Foot, has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum, dated 15th February, 1861. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

India Office, 2nd August, 1866.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions, alterations of rank, &c., amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Government of India :—

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers, who have completed the prescribed term of service, to be Colonels in the Army, under the operation of the Royal Warrant of the 31st January, 1859 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Edward Hinde, Bengal Infantry. Dated 1st September, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Mackillop Taylor, Bombay Cavalry. Dated 5th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Augustus Carey, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 18th March, 1866.

Major Malcolm Scrimshire Green, C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in succession to General Truscott, Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 13th June, 1865.

Major Henry Francis Maxwell Boisrazon, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain George Brown Roberts, Madras Staff Corps, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General Watkins, Madras Infantry, deceased. Dated 13th June, 1865.

Major Charles Henry Barchard, C.B, Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Henry White Best, Bengal Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to Major-General Sir Stuart Corbett, K.C.B., Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 2nd August, 1865.

Major Thomas Edward Kennion, Royal (Bengal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Robert Peniston Milbanke Crewe, Madras In-

fantry, to be Major, in succession to General Salter, C.B., Bengal Cavalry, deceased. Dated 22nd August, 1855.

Major Alfred Light, Royal (Bengal) Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain James Forbes Robertson, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Major, in succession to Major-General Showers, C.B., deceased, Bengal Infantry. Dated 9th October, 1865.

Major William Carmichael Russell, Royal Bengal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Robert Church, Madras Infantry, to be Major, in succession to Major-General Scott, Bombay Infantry, deceased. Dated 12th October, 1865.

Major Thomas Harmer Sibley, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Edward Holbecke Couchman, Royal Madras Artillery, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General Sargent, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th November, 1865.

Major John Joseph Lawrie, Bombay Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain George Holland, Royal Bengal Artillery, to be Major. in succession to Lieutenant-General Gowan, C.B., Royal Bengal Artillery, deceased. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Major Edward Long Grant, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain George Beresford Brydges Holmes, Royal Madras Artillery, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General Sim, Madras Engineers, deceased. Dated 21st December, 1865.

BENGAL ARMY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Purves Phayre, C.B., Staff Corps Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Elliot Voyle, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Talbot Shakespear. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Mytton Hill, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Corse Scott, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Ryves, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Ramsay, C.B. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant - Colonel Frederic Dayot Atkinson, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February. 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Brooke Boyd, Infantry. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant - Colonel Robert Troup, Infantry. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant - Colonel John Liptrott, Infantry. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Maitland, Infantry. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert Edward Stacey Abbott, Infantry. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Brougham Faddy, Infantry. Dated 9th March, 1866.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Robertson Larkins, late 49th Native Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Major George Gibson Anderson, late 15th Native Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Major Edward Tulloch, late 69th Native Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Major Lenox James Farquharson, late 3rd European Cavalry. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Major Richard Nicholas, late 64th Native Infantry. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Major John Hood, late 49th Native Infantry. Dated 29th January, 1866.

Major John Scott Phillpotts, late 66th Native Infantry. Dated 15th February, 1866.

Major Hugh Lowman Pester, late 63rd Native Infantry. Dated 8th March, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain William Robert Gordon, Staff Corps. Dated 12th December, 1865.

Captain Walter Henry Smith, late 56th Native Infantry. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Captain Danvers Henry Osborn, late 54th Native Infantry. Dated 27th December, 1865.

Captain William Harrington Hawes, late 63rd Native Infantry. Dated 7th January, 1866.

Captain James Augustus Grant, late 6th European Regiment. Dated 26th January, 1866.

Captain Henry Lockhart Gleig, late 32nd Native Infantry. Dated 29th January, 1866.

Captain William Bolton Girdlestone, late 67th Native Infantry. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Captain Stephen Douglas, Unattached. Dated 16th February, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant John Skynner Walters, late 28th Native Infantry. Dated 9th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Francis Frederick Rowcroft, late 2nd Native Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Harry De Brett, late 57th Native Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Thomas Richard Devereux Bingham, Staff Corps. Dated 13th December, 1865.

Lieutenant George Nicholson Saunders, late 24th Native Infantry. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Henry Loftus Alexander Tottenham, late 67th Native Infantry. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Robert Stanwix Robertson, late 6th European Regiment. Dated 4th February, 1866.

MADRAS ARMY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Christian Disandt Grant, 11th Native Infantry. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Major Francis Mardall, Staff Corps. Dated 8th February, 1866.

Major John James Jenkins, 46th Native Infantry. Dated 8th February, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain Robert Brown, late 29th Native Infantry. Dated 19th January, 1866.

Captain John Norman Maclean, late 7th Cavalry. Dated 26th January, 1866.

Captain Douglas Scott, Staff Corps. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Captain Augustus Frederick Williams, 9th Native Infantry. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Captain Walter John Vizard, 35th Native Infantry. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Captain Charles James, Staff Corps. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Captain Francis D'Arcy, 32nd Native Infantry. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Captain Theodore Austin, 22nd Native Infantry. Dated 24th February, 1866.

Captain Richard William Daunt, 25th Native Infantry. Dated 24th February, 1866.

Captain Harvey George Dickinson, late 45th Native Infantry. Dated 1st March, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Plowden, 19th Native Infantry. Dated 14th February, 1866.

Lieutenant James Black Reid, 16th Native Infantry. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Alfred Augustus Davidson, Staff Corps. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BOMBAY ARMY.

To be Lieutenant Colonels.

Major George Uvedale Price, late 3rd European Regiment. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Major Walter Montriou, 24th Native Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Major Walter Fergus Anderson, 11th Native Infantry, Dated 11th December, 1865.

Major Edward Thompson, 8th Native Infantry. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Major William Augustus Neale, 3rd Native Infantry. Dated 29th December, 1865.

Major Edmund Campbell, late 3rd European Regiment. Dated 23rd February, 1866.

Major Henry Ebenezer Jacob, 18th Native Infantry. Dated 25th February, 1866.

Major William Leigh Cahusac, 11th Native Infantry. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Major Evan Murray MacGregor, 2nd Cavalry. Dated 12th April, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain Raynor Wallace, 5th Native Infantry. Dated 12th December, 1865.

Captain James Forbes Robertson, Staff Corps. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Captain William Bannerman, 3rd Native Infantry. Dated 3rd February, 1866.

Captain Samuel Joseph Thorp, late 3rd European Regiment, Dated 3rd March, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant William Melville Lane, Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1865.

Lieutenant George Lodwick Warden, 17th Native Infantry. Dated 9th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Edward Hopper Ashe, Staff Corps. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Arthur Phelps, 11th Native Infantry. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Thomas Edmond Strong, Staff Corps. Dated 4th January, 1866.

Lieutenant Julius Middleton Boyd, Staff Corps. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Anthony Durand, 10th Native Infantry. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry William Harris, 10th Native Infantry. Dated 4th April, 1866.

Lieutenant George Bartholomew Leslie, 24th Native Infantry. Dated 4th April, 1866.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

Admissions.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Theodore William Hogg, 20th Hussars. Dated 18th May, 1858.

Lieutenant Howard James Barton, 2nd Dragoon Guards. Dated 10th May, 1861.

Promotions.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Octavius Hamilton. Dated 24th January, 1865.

Major Augustus Henry Ternan. Dated 24th January, 1865.

Major William Russell Eliott. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Major Thomas Rattray. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Major John Matthew Cripps. Dated 11th December, 1865.

Major John William Bristow. Dated 11th December, 1865.

Major Julius Bentall Dennys. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Major John Robertson Pughe. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Major George Gill Moxon. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Major Banastre Pryce Lloyd. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Major James Brooke Young Matheson. Dated 26th January, 1866.

Major Olans John McLeod Farrington. Dated 15th February, 1866.

Major Archibald Blackwood. Dated 15th February, 1866.

Major (Brevet-Colonel) Reynell George Taylor, C.B., C.S.I. Dated 26th February, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain Augustus Kirkwood Comber. Dated 12th December, 1865.

Captain James Burn. Dated 12th December, 1865.

Captain James Dowell Swayne. Dated 12th December, 1865.

Captain James Creighton Wood. Dated 12th December, 1865.

Captain Charles Matthew Longmore. Dated 12th December, 1865.

Captain Francis Atherton Dickins. Dated 12th December, 1865.

Captain Thomas Francis Forster. Dated 13th December, 1865.

Captain Frederick Cortlandt Anderson. Dated 13th December, 1865.

Captain Montgomery Hunter. Dated 13th December, 1865.

Captain (Brevet-Major) William Dashwood Hoste. Dated 14th December, 1865.

Captain Thomas Branfill Harrison. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Captain George Price. Dated 27th December, 1865.

Captain (Brevet-Major) George Leith Fraser. Dated 6th January, 1866.

Captain (Brevet-Major) John Mackillop Mackenzie. Dated 9th January, 1866.

Captain Browne William Ryall. Dated 14th January, 1866.

Captain Edward Dandridge. Dated 14th January, 1866.

Captain William Campbell MacDougall. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Captain Isaac Forsyth MacAndrew. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Captain Herbert Johnston Hawes. Dated 24th February, 1866.

Captain Thomas Taylor. Dated 6th March, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant William Lyttelton Powys Drummond. Dated 9th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Horatio Nelson Noble. Dated 9th December, 1865.

Lieutenant William Rice Morland Holroyd. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Robert George Armstrong. Dated 14th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Charles Smith Maclean. Dated 14th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Harry Chippendale Plunkett Rice. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Robert Durie Osborn. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Alexander Copland. Dated 14th January, 1866.

Lieutenant George Robertson Hennessey. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Montague Charles Perreau. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Harry Dawkins Eardley Wilmot Chester. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Alexander Shand Thain. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Alexander Haldane Eckford. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Herbert Sconce. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Lieutenant James Nicholas Brulton Hewett. Dated 4th March, 1866.

Lieutenant William Gordon Chalmers. Dated 4th April, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederick Macdonald Birch. Dated 4th April, 1866.

Lieutenant John Withers Macqueen. Dated 4th April, 1866.

Lieutenant George Henry Welland Hoggan. Dated 4th April, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Stewart. Dated 4th April, 1866.

Alterations of Rank.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Sydney Joseph Hire, to rank from 12th June, 1861.

Captain Thomas Quin, to rank from 20th February, 1861.

BENGAL ARMY.

Infantry.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Rowland Rees Mainwaring, from late 6th European Regiment. to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Spence (Staff Corps), removed from List of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 5th June, 1865.

Major Nicholas Carnegie Boswell, from late 2nd Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in succession to Travers, promoted to Major-General. Dated 23rd July, 1866.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) William Robert Cunningham, from late 5th European Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Whish (Staff Corps), removed from List of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 22nd August, 1865.

Major John Scott Phillpotts, from late 66th Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Darvall, promoted to Major-General. Dated 20th November, 1865.

Late 4th European Infantry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) John Ward to be Major, Lieutenant Malcolm George Clerk to be Captain, in succession to Liptrap, promoted to Major-General. Dated 22nd August, 1865.

Late 6th European Regiment.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Charles Need to be Major, in succession to Spence (Staff Corps), removed from List of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 5th June, 1865.

Late 2nd Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Jocelyn Pickard Cambridge to be Captain, in succession to Travers, promoted to Major-General. Dated 23rd July, 1865.

Late 12th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Frederick Donnelly Harington to be Captain, vice Remington, resigned. Dated 30th November, 1865.

Late 20th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) John Hobart Tyler to be Captain, in succession to Richards (Staff Corps), removed from List of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 5th June, 1865.

Late 28th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) John Skynner Walters to be Captain, vice Chapman, retired. Dated 11th August, 1864.

Late 46th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) James John Russell to be Captain, vice Smith (Staff Corps), deceased. Dated 20th January, 1866.

Late 54th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Henry Loftus Alexander Tottenham to be Captain, vice Vanrenen, retired. Dated 10th March, 1866.

Late 55th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Edward Humphrey Woodcock to be Captain, in succession to Harris, promoted to Major-General. Dated 5th June, 1865.

Late 60th Native Infantry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) William Clarke Green to be Major, Lieutenant George Anthony Aufrére Baker to be Captain, in succession to Turner, Staff Corps, removed from list of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 22nd August, 1865.

Late 66th Native Infantry.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Campbell Claye Grant Ross to be Major, in succession to Darvall, promoted to Major-General. Dated 20th November, 1865.

Late 67th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Henry Loftus Alexander Tottenham to be Captain, vice Smith, deceased. Dated 4th March, 1866.

ALTERATION OF RANK.

Late 2nd European Cavalry.

Captain John Shakespear Irvine to take rank from 28th December, 1864.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

PROMOTIONS.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Thomas Maxwell, M.D. Dated 26th January, 1866.

Surgeon Charles Palmer, M.D. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Surgeon James King Walter. Dated 20th February, 1866.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon Robert Moir, M.D. Dated 27th July, 1865.

Assistant-Surgeon Theodore Duka, M.D. Dated 1st August, 1865.

Assistant-Surgeon George Vernon Currie. Dated 24th November, 1865.

Assistant-Surgeon Lachlan Hector John Maclean, M.D. Dated 1st January, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Francis Hugh O'Donel, M.D. Dated 1st January, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon John James Trevor Lawrence. Dated 1st January, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon (Brevet-Surgeon) Henry Martineau Greenhow. Dated 3rd January, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Henry William Graham. Dated 14th February, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon John Elliot, M.D. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Beard Farncombe. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Frederick John Earle. Dated 20th March, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Theobald Ringer. Dated 17th April, 1866.

Alterations of Rank.

Surgeon Alfred Godley Crewe to rank from 24th May, 1865.

Surgeon Nathaniel James Grant to rank from 3rd June, 1865.

Surgeon Marcus William Mott, M.D., to rank from 14th June, 1865.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John Curry Day. Dated 26th January, 1866.

Major George Baldock. Dated 15th February, 1866.

Major Charles Philip Taylor. Dated 8th March. 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain (Brevet-Major) George Brown Roberts. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Captain Alexander James Bruce. Dated 20th December, 1865.

Captain Arthur Francis. Dated 27th December, 1865.

Captain George Falconer Pearson. Dated 14th January, 1866.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Henry Clerk. Dated 20th January, 1866.

Captain Pritzler James Pakenham Wetherall. Dated 20th January, 1866.

Captain John William Sinclair. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Captain Thomas Spence Hawks. Dated 5th February, 1866.

Captain George Robert Frederick Bardin. Dated 20th February, 1866.

Captain Henry Leslie Grove. Dated 24th February, 1866.

Captain Charles Vincent Gordon. Dated 24th February, 1866

Captain James Hale Warden. Dated 24tn February, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Daniel Wilson Laughton. Dated 14th January, 1866.

Lieutenant William Henry Campbell. Dated 20th January, 1866.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Frederick William Dobree. Dated 23rd January, 1866.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) John Charles Hay. Dated 28th January, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederick James Hicks. Dated 1st February, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Morris Stanley Clarke. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Lieutenant George Washbourne Williams. Dated 9th February, 1866.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Edward Francis Hunter Armstrong. Dated 28th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Hallyburton Grace. Dated 14th March, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Tristram O'Reilly. Dated 24th March, 1866.

MADRAS ARMY.

Cavalry.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) William Vine, from late 6th Light Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in succession to Frazer (Staff Corps), removed from list of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 6th February, 1866.

Late 2nd Cavalry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Richard Godfrey Jones to be Major, in succession to Arbuthnott, deceased. Dated 6th February, 1866.

Late 6th Cavalry.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant - Colonel) John Murray Macgregor to be Major, Lieutenant Peter Lawrence Gordon to be Captain, in succession to Fraser, Staff Corps, removed from list of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 6th February, 1866.

General List of Cavalry Officers.

Lieutenant Arthur Robert Kenney to be Captain, vice Kensit (19th Hussars), deceased. Dated 24th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Stanley Bullock to be Captain, in succession to Arbuthnott, deceased. Dated 6th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Atwell Curtois to be Captain, in succession to Macdonald (Staff Corps), removed from list of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 6th February, 1866.

Infantry,

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Robert Woolley, from 28th Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Greenlaw, Staff Corps, removed from list of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 12th October, 1865.

17th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Walker Rowlandson to be Captain, vice Chapman, retired. Dated 12th December, 1865.

20th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Augustus Drummond Grant to be Captain, vice Drury, deceased. Dated 13th March, 1866.

32nd Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) John Swiney to be Captain, vice Gordon (Staff Corps), deceased. Dated 27th December, 1865.

Late 48th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) John Clinton Whish Bruce to be Captain, vice Metcalfe, deceased. Dated 19th March, 1866.

ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio Edward Walpole to take rank from 10th October, 1865.

1st Native Infantry.

Major Alfred Louis Rishton to take rank from 10th October, 1865.

2nd Native Infantry.

Captain Adam Hugh Montgomery Dickey to take rank from 10th October, 1865.

16th Native Infantry.

Major John Daniel to take rank from 10th October, 1865.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon William Aitken, M.D. Dated 26th January, 1866.

Surgeon Patrick Gerald FitzGerald, M.D. Dated 20th March, 1866.

Surgeon William Judson Van Someren, M.D. Dated 7th April, 1866.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon James McDonald. Dated 14th February, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Jardine Wyndowe, M.D. Dated 24th March, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon William Robert Cornish. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major James Hyde Champion. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Major Robert Máxwell Johnstone. Dated 11th December, 1865.

Major John Pitcairn Sandwith. Dated 11th December, 1865.

Major Charles Augustus Moyle. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Major Chamberlen William Walker. Dated 10th March, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain Cyril Jackson Prescott. Dated 17th January, 1866.

Captain Edmund Lewin Taverner. Dated 17th January, 1866.

Captain William Ryrie Alexander. Dated 3rd February, 1866.

Captain Augustus Phillips Chesshyre. Dated 5th February, 1866.

Captain Peter Dods. Dated 3rd March, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant George Shepherd Stevens. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Lieutenant John Germain Watts. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Thomas Lyons Fraser. Dated 10th December, 1865.

Lieutenant Carey James De Lancey. Dated 4th January, 1866.

Lieutenant Adam George Forbes Hogg. Dated 4th January, 1866.

Lieutenant John Foster Forbes. Dated 4th January, 1866.

Lieutenant Ronald Laurentz Campbell. Dated 20th January, 1866.

Lieutenant Simon Fraser McGillivray. Dated 4th February, 1866.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Edward Hopper Ashe. Dated 12th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Charles Henry Harrison. Dated 20th March, 1866.

Lieutenant John Hayes Lloyd. Dated 4th April, 1866.

BOMBAY ARMY.

Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Major-General) Sir Robert William Honner, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Shortt, deceased. Dated 10th February, 1866.

Late 3rd European Regiment.

Lieutenant Sir John Louis, Bart., to be Captain, vice Armstrong (109th Foot), deceased. Dated 27th November, 1865.

Medical Officers.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Robert Millar, M.D. Dated 24th December, 1865.

Surgeon Charles George Wiehe, M.D. Dated 20th January, 1866.

Surgeon William Davey. Dated 5th February, 1866.

Surgeon James Michael Knapp. Dated 7th March, 1866.

Surgeon Thomas Murray. Dated 7th March, 1866.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon Robert Crossing Thorpe, M.D. Dated 4th January, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Gillham Hewlett. Dated 20th January, 1866.

Her Majesty has been pleased to permit the undermentioned Officer to resign his Commission :—

Captain Archibald Gathorne Remington, late 12th Bengal Native Infantry.

The names of the following Officers should be as stated, and not as given in the Gazettes of the dates specified :—

26th January, 1858. Lieutenant *Robert Havard* Price.

29th July, 1859. Major *Mangles* James Brander.

4th March, 1864. Lieutenant William Francis *Badgley*.

4th March, 1864. Lieutenant Frederick Donnelly *Harington*.

4th March, 1864. Captain Felix Vincent Richard *Jervis*.

4th March, 1864. Lieutenant George Bernard *Johnston*.

4th March, 1864. Lieutenant-Colonel Robert *Morrieson*.

4th March, 1864. Lieutenant Hardress Edmond *Waller*.

4th March, 1864. Lieutenant *Roderick* Boyd Mackenzie.

The dates of the Commissions of the undermentioned Officers should be as follows, and not as stated in the Gazette of the 4th March, 1864 :—

Captain Henry George Raverty. Dated 28th June, 1858.

Lieutenant Robert Macdonald Chambers. Dated 17th December, 1860.

Lieutenant Harby Barber. Dated 16th February, 1861.

Ensign Thomas George Macauley. Dated 4th September, 1859.

Lieutenant Edmund Denman Smith. Dated 8th December, 1860.

Ensign Gideon Colquhoun de Lautour. Dated 4th January, 1860.

Admiralty, 1*st August*, 1866.

Mr. William Frazer has this day been promoted to the rank of Acting Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 25th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

Hussar (Princess of Wales's Own) West Riding Yeomanry Cavalry.

The Right Honourable Hugh Richard, Viscount Downe, to be Cornet, vice Maxwell, promoted. Dated 25th July, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1*st Regiment of Royal Surrey Militia.*

Henry Bonus, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Smith, resigned. Dated 26th July, 1866.

Richard James Hartland Mahon, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Locke, resigned. Dated 26th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham.

Sherwood Rangers Yeomanry Cavalry.

Edward William Pelham Clinton, Esq. (commonly called Lord Edward Pelham Clinton), to be Captain, vice Machin, resigned. Dated 26th July, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Major Robert Ralph Noel in the Leicestershire Regiment of Militia.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 7, 1866.

Whitehall, August 4, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable John Robert Mowbray to be Second Church Estates Commissioner, in the room of the Right Honourable Henry Austin Bruce, resigned.

Whitehall, August 6, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend David Stott to the church at Deerness, in the parishes of Saint Andrew's and Deerness, in the Sheriffdom and Stewartry of Orkney and Shetland, and presbytery of Kirkwall, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Matthew Fisher to the united parishes of Cross and Burness.

10, *Whitehall Place,*
August 4, 1866.

The Archbishop of Canterbury has, under the authority of the Act of the 13th and 14th years of Her Majesty, chapter 94, appointed Edward Howes, of Morningthorpe, in the county of Norfolk, Esq., a Member of the United Church of England and Ireland, and a Member of the Commons House of Parliament, to be a Church Estates Commissioner, in the place of the Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, resigned.

Crown Office, August 4, 1866.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Town of Galway.

Michael Morris, Her Majesty's Solicitor-General for Ireland.

August 6.

Borough of Abingdon.

The Honourable Colonel Charles Hugh Lindsay, of Haigh Hall, Wigan, in the county of Lancaster, one of the Grooms in Waiting on Her Majesty.

PARIS EXHIBITION OF 1867.

Her Majesty's Commissioners for the Paris Exhibition of 1867, at their Meeting, held at the South Kensington Museum on the 28th July, 1866, appointed as Members of the Commission, the following Noblemen and Gentlemen, who have ceased to be Commissioners *ex officio* :—

The Earl of Clarendon, K.G.
The Earl de Grey and Ripon.
Right Honourable E Cardwell, M.P.
Right Honourable W. F. Cowper, M.P.
Right Honourable W. E. Gladstone, M.P.
Right Honourable T. Milner Gibson, M.P.

The Right Honourable H. F. Lowry Corry, M.P., Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education, or the Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education for the time being, was elected a Commissioner.

War Office, Pall Mall,
7th August, 1866.

11*th Hussars*, Major Edward Lennox Jervis, from half-pay late 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Major. Dated 20th July, 1866.

17*th Lancers*, Captain Samuel Boulderson, from the 18th Foot, to be Captain, vice Abadie, who exchanges. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Royal Artillery, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Howison Young Howison, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thomas Tarrant, promoted on the Staff. Dated 7th August, 1866.

12*th Foot*, Major George Frederick Berry, from half-pay, late 24th Foot, to be Major, vice William Henry Queade, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Walter John Boyes to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Henry J. MacDonnell, who resigns the appointment. Dated 9th June, 1866.

18*th Foot*, Captain George Augustus Elliot to be Major, without purchase, vice Edmond William Sargent, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Captain Henry Richard Abadie, from the 17th Lancers, to be Captain, vice Boulderson, who exchanges. Dated 7th August, 1866.

19*th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas H. Kirby to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Onslow, who retires. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Ensign John Jameson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kirby. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Thomas Richard Martyr, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by

purchase, vice Jameson. Dated 7th August, 1866.

33*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Spurgeon Green, from the Bengal General List, to be Lieutenant, vice James Philips, transferred to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 7th August, 1866.

34*th Foot*, Captain William Martin Frobisher, from the 55th Foot, to be Captain, vice Nedham, who exchanges. Dated 7th August, 1866.

53*rd Foot*, Sydney Edward Underwood, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice George Reed Carr, promoted. Dated 7th August, 1866.

55*th Foot*, Captain Charles Nedham, from the 34th Foot, to be Captain, vice Frobisher, who exchanges. Dated 7th August, 1866.

59*th Foot*, Captain Mathew Smith Blyth, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Adolphus Halkett Versturme, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Lieutenant John Trohear Rudd to be Captain, by purchase, vice Blyth, who retires. Dated 7th August, 1866.

61*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Arthur Edward Wilby, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Sydenham George Hanson, transferred to the 85th Foot. Dated 7th August, 1866.

77*th Foot*, Lieutenant Percy Kirk to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant George Cook, who has resigned the appointment. Dated 1st May, 1866.

85*th Foot*, Lieutenant Chester Doughty to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Weir Cosens, who has retired. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Ensign George Henry Parker Jervis to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Doughty. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Ensign Sydenham George Hanson, from the 61st Foot, to be Ensign, vice George Henry Parker Jervis. Dated 7th August, 1866.

86*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Mc Watters to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert William Jackson, promoted on the Staff. Dated 7th August, 1866.

94*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Mackinlay to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major William West James Basset, who retires. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Ensign George Russel Salvin Bowlby to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mackinlay. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Edmund Smith Brook, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bowlby. Dated 7th August, 1866.

95*th Foot*, Lieutenant George Nicholas Channer, from the Bengal General List, to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Edward Fisher, transferred to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 7th August, 1866.

103*rd Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Wakefield, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Edward Barker, M.B., who exchanges. Dated 7th August, 1866.

106*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Heathcote Unwin, from the 56th Bengal Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant, vice Alfred Lionel McNair, transferred to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 7th August, 1866.

107*th Foot*, Captain Albert Locke Nicholson to be Major, vice David Kemp, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederic Henderson to be Captain, vice Nicholson. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Ensign Frederick William Nicolay to be Lieutenant, vice Henderson. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet George Montalt Bellasis, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Nicolay. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Wilmsdorf George Mansergh to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Christopher Middlemass, who resigns the appointment. Dated 14th June, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Anderson to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Dustan, appointed to the Staff. Dated 7th August, 1866.

3rd West India Regiment, The first Christian name of Ensign Gray is *Walter*, and not *William*, as stated in the Gazette of the 20th ultimo.

4th West India Regiment, Gentleman Cadet William Henry Moberly, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice George James Marshall, promoted. Dated 7th August, 1866.

CAVALRY DEPOT.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Tomkinson, from half-pay Unattached, to be Major. Dated 17th November, 1857.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Edmund Humphrey Roberts to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Henry Downes, M.D., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Robert William Jackson, from the 86th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Edward

Thiselton, who resigns. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon John Edward Barker, M.B., from the 103rd Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Wakefield, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon John Dustan, from the 107th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Anderson, appointed to the 107th Foot. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Caleb Sherar Wills, late Assistant-Surgeon, 83rd Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Howison Young Howison, M.D., appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Valentine Stone has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 7th August, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Major and Brevet-Colonel Robert Carey, C.B., half-pay 40th Foot, and late Deputy Adjutant-General in New Zealand, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Major Edmond William Sargent, from the 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Winter Goode, from the 64th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL (Netley).

Paymaster Nathaniel Eyre Robbins, from the 5th Dragoon Guards, to be Paymaster, vice Paymaster (with the honorary rank of Major) John Mackenzie Kennedy, deceased. Dated 7th August, 1866.

BREVET.

Staff Surgeon-Major Henry Downes, M.D., who retires upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 7th August, 1866.

The promotion of Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Dominic Jacotin Gamble, C.B., Unattached, as Colonel, and of Captain and Brevet-Major George Richards Greaves, 70th Foot, as Lieutenant - Colonel, which appeared in the Gazette of the 13th February, 1866, to be antedated to the 21st March, 1865.

Memorandum.

The promotion of Lieutenant Arthur Peel, late of the 101st Foot, and now of the 7th Hussars, to be dated 19*th*, instead of 20*th* November, 1863.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cromarty.

William Ord Mackenzie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 21st July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

Kent Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant John Curtois Aldolphus Bones to be Captain, vice Dalison, resigned. Dated 30th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Queen's Own Tower Hamlets Regiment of Militia.

Thomas Tredinnick to be Lieutenant, vice Marshall, removed. Dated 20th July, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 10, 1866.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 9th day of *August*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that His Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury do prepare a Form of Prayer to Almighty God, for Relief from the Plague now existing amongst Cattle, and for Protection against the Cholera; and that such Form of Prayer be used in all churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, on Sunday, the twelfth day of August instant, and whenever Divine Service is celebrated during the prevalence of the Cholera, and of Cattle Plague in this country, instead of the Prayer now used for Relief from the Plague existing amongst Cattle, and for protection against the Cholera.

And it is hereby further ordered, that Her Majesty's Printer do forthwith print a competent number of copies of the said Form of Prayer, in order that the same may be forthwith sent round, and used in the several churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed.

Edmund Harrison.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight,* the 9th day of *August,* 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that all Ministers and Preachers, as well of the Established Church in that part of Great Britain called Scotland, as of the Episcopal Communion, protected and allowed by an Act, passed in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Anne, chapter seven, do, at some time, during the exercise of Divine Service in their Churches, Congregations, or Assemblies, on Sunday, the twelfth day of August instant, and subsequently during the exercise of Divine Service, while Cholera and Cattle Plague contiuue prevalent in this country, put up a Prayer to Almighty God for Relief from the Plague now existing amongst Cattle, and for protection against the Cholera.

Edmund Harrison.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight,* the 9th day of *August,* 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Henry James Baillie was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight,* the 9th day of *August,* 1866.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve an Order making

provision for the exercise of consular jurisdiction within the dominions of the Sultan of Zanzibar.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 9th day of *August*, 1866.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order, upon the petition of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace acting in and for the county of Brecknock, that districts be assigned to each of the coroners for the said county.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 9th day of *August*, 1866.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that, from and after the 20th instant, and so long as this Order shall continue in force, every passenger ship carrying more than fifty passengers on any voyage to which the Passengers' Act, 1855, extends, shall, whatever be the duration of the voyage, and subject to the provisions of the 42nd section of the said Act, carry a duly qualified medical practitioner, who shall be rated on the ship's articles.

War Office, August 10, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Henry Marshman Havelock, Bart., V.C.; Lieutenant-Colonel William Cosmo Trevor, of the 14th Regiment; and Lieutenant-Colonel George Dean Pitt, to be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, August 7, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Henry as Consul at Quebec for the United States of America.

(1228.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 10, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Florence, announcing that vessels arriving in Italian ports from Liverpool, will be subjected to a quarantine of fifteen days.

(1243).

Board of Trade. Whitehall, August 9, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a letter from the Italian Minister at this Court, announcing that, in consequence of the recent outbreak of Cholera in this country, a quarantine of fifteen days will be imposed by the Italian Government on all vessels arriving at Italian ports from British ports

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Admiralty, 9th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Nelson Hippisley to be Commander.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland Light Infantry Militia.

Shalcross Fitzherbert Widdrington, Esq., to be Captain, vice Pears, resigned. Dated 2nd August, 1866.

Robert Brown, Esq., to be Captain, vice Hughes, resigned. Dated 2nd August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

1st Warwickshire Regiment of Militia.

John Wynn Griffith, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Yeatman, promoted. Dated 25th July, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Ernest Augustus Prideaux Brune in the Cornwall Rangers Militia.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 14, 1866.

The Speech of the Lords Commissioners to both Houses of Parliament, on Friday, August 10, 1866.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

WE are commanded by Her Majesty, in releasing you from the labours of a protracted session, to convey to you Her Majesty's acknowledgments for the zeal and assiduity with which

you have applied yourselves to your parliamentary duties.

Her Majesty has much satisfaction in informing you that Her relations with all foreign powers are on the most friendly footing.

Her Majesty has watched with anxious interest the progress of the war which has recently convulsed a great portion of the Continent of Europe. Her Majesty cannot have been an indifferent spectator of events which have seriously affected the positions of Sovereigns and Princes with whom Her Majesty is connected by the closest ties of relationship and friendship; but Her Majesty has not deemed it expedient to take part in a contest in which neither the honour of Her Crown nor the interest of Her people demanded any active intervention on Her part. Her Majesty can only express an earnest hope that the negociations now in progress between the belligerent Powers may lead to such an arrangement as may lay the foundation of a secure and lasting peace.

A wide-spread treasonable conspiracy, having for its objects the subversion of Her Majesty's authority in Ireland, the confiscation of property, and the establishment of a republic, having its seat in Ireland, but deriving its principal support from naturalized citizens of a foreign and friendly State, compelled Her Majesty at the commencement of the present session to assent to a measure, recommended by Her representative in Ireland, for the temporary suspension in that part of Her Majesty's dominions of the Habeas Corpus Act. That measure, firmly but temperately acted on by the Irish executive, had the effect of repressing any outward manifestations of treasonable intentions, and of causing the withdrawal from Ireland of the greater portion of those foreign agents by whom the conspiracy was mainly fostered.

The leaders, however, of this movement were not deterred from prosecuting their criminal designs beyond the limits of Her Majesty's dominions. They even attempted from the territories of the United States of America an inroad upon the peaceful subjects of Her Majesty in Her North American Provinces. That attempted inroad, however, only served to manifest in the strongest manner the loyalty and devotion of Her Majesty's subjects in those provinces, who, without exception of creed or origin, united in defence of their Sovereign and their country. It served also to show the good faith and scrupulous attention to international rights displayed by the Government of the United States, whose active interference, by checking any attempted invasion of a friendly State, mainly contributed to protect Her Majesty's dominions against the evils of a predatory inroad.

Her Majesty would have been rejoiced at the close of the present session to be enabled to put an end to the exceptional legislation which she was compelled to sanction at its commencement; but the protection which Her Majesty owes to Her loyal subjects leaves Her no alternative but that of assenting to the advice of Her Parliament to continue till their next meeting the provisions of the existing law. Her Majesty looks anxiously forward to the time when she may be enabled to revert to the ordinary provisions of the law.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

Her Majesty commands us to thank you for the liberal provision which you have made for the public service, and for the naval and military defences of the country.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Her Majesty has seen with great concern the monetary pressure which, for a period of unprece-

dented duration, has weighed upon the interests of the country. The consequent embarrassment appeared at one moment to be aggravated by so general a feeling of distrust and of alarm that Her Majesty, in order to restore confidence, authorized Her Ministers to recommend to the Directors of the Bank of England a course of proceeding suited to the emergency.

This, though justifiable under the circumstances, might have led to an infringement of the law, but Her Majesty has the satisfaction of being able to inform you that no such infringement has taken place, and that, although the monetary pressure is not yet sensibly mitigated, alarm is subsiding, and the state of trade being sound, and the condition of the people generally prosperous, Her Majesty entertains a sanguine hope that confidence will soon be restored.

Her Majesty has observed with satisfaction and with deep gratitude to Almighty God that He has so far favoured the measures which have been adopted for staying the fearful pestilence which has visited our herds and flocks, that its destructive effects have been in a great measure checked, and that there is reason to hope for its entire extinction at no distant period. In the meantime Her Majesty has given Her willing assent to a measure which has been introduced for the relief of those districts which have suffered the most severely from its visitation.

Her Majesty regrets that this country has at length been subjected to the fearful visitation of cholera which has prevailed in other European countries, but from which it has hitherto been happily exempt. Her Majesty has directed that a form of prayer to Almighty God, suitable to the present exigency, should be offered up in all the churches of this realm; and Her Majesty has

given Her cordial approval to the legislative measures sanctioning the adoption, by local authorities, of such steps as science and experience have shown to be most effectual for the check of this fearful malady.

Her Majesty hopes that those in whose hands so large and beneficial an authority is left will not be slow to execute the powers entrusted to them, and that they will be seconded in their endeavours by all who have at heart the safety and well-being of Her people. In connection with this subject Her Majesty hopes that a bill, to which she has given Her ready assent, for improving the navigation of the River Thames, may incidentally be conducive to the public health.

Her Majesty has great satisfaction in congratulating the country, and the world at large, on the successful accomplishment of the great design of connecting Europe and America by the means of an electric telegraph. It is hardly possible to anticipate the full extent of the benefits which may be conferred on the human race by this signal triumph of scientific enterprise; and Her Majesty has pleasure in expressing Her deep sense of what is due to the private energy which, in spite of repeated failure and discouragement, has at length, for the second time, succeeded in establishing direct communication between the two continents, Her Majesty trusts that no impediment may occur to interrupt the success of this great undertaking, calculated, as it undoubtedly is, to cement yet closer the ties which bind Her Majesty's North American colonies to their mother country, and to promote the unrestricted intercourse and friendly feeling which it is most desirable should subsist between Her Majesty's dominions and the great Republic of the United States.

Her Majesty is aware that, in returning to your respective homes, many of you have duties to perform hardly less important than those which belong to you in your legislative capacity. Her Majesty places full reliance on the loyalty and devotion with which you will discharge those duties; and Her Majesty earnestly prays that your influence and efforts may, under the blessing of Divine Providence, tend to the general welfare, prosperity, and contentment of Her people.

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read; after which the Lord Chancellor said:

My Lords and Gentlemen,

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's name, and in obedience to Her Commands, prorogue this Parliament to Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of October next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of October next.

Whitehall, August 13, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Reverend William Stubbs, M.A., to be Professor of Modern History in the University of Oxford, in the room of Goldwin Smith, Esq., M.A., resigned.

Whitehall, August 13, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Charles Findlater Stevenson to the church and parish of Barry, in the presbytery of Arbroath, and county of Forfar, vacant by the resignation of the Reverend Robert Home.

War Office, Pall Mall,

14th August, 1866.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant George Hamilton Heaviside, from the Bengal Cavalry, to be Lieutenant, vice Howard James Barton, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th August, 1866.

13th Hussars, Captain George Edward Hill, from the 71st Foot, to be Captain, vice Gilbard, who exchanges. Dated 14th August, 1866.

20th Hussars, Cornet George R. J. Shakespear to be Lieutenant, vice J. R. Glover Sweeny, deceased. Dated 22nd May, 1866.

Cornet A. W. Gordon Brebner to be Lieutenant, vice Theodore William Hogg, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Laud Kavanagh, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, vice Shakespear. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant Henry Bond to be Second Captain, vice Thomas Henry Pitt, removed to the Supernumerary List on being appointed to an Instructorship in the Royal Military College. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Surgeon Matthew Combe, M D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Coldstream Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Clement William Strong to be Major, without purchase, with the rank of Colonel, vice Major and Brevet-Colonel Arthur St. George Herbert Stepney, C.B., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Henry

Walter Campbell to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Strong. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable John Robert William Vesey to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable H. W. Campbell. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Waller Philip Hughes, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable J. R. W. Vesey. Dated 14th August, 1866.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Richard Llewelyn Roberts to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant St. George Gray, promoted. Dated 27th July, 1866.

11th Foot, Ensign George Brehon to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice George Theobald, deceased. Dated 5th June. 1866.

Ensign William Henry Beevor to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Brehon, whose promotion by purchase on the 15th June, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Ensign William Wynyard Baird O'Brien, from the 20th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Beevor. Dated 14th August, 1866.

13th Foot, Lieutenant Richard John Woodhouse has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 14th August, 1866.

16th Foot, Ensign Rigby Wason to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Frederick Grant, who retires. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Charles William Clement, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Wason. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet William Charles James Lacy, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign,

by purchase, vice Henry Eyre Coote, who retires. Dated 15th August, 1866.

20*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Nathaniel William Werry, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice W. W. B. O'Brien, transferred to the 11th Foot. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Lieutenant David O'Neill Power, to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William Glencross, who resigns the appointment. Dated 12th June, 1866.

32*nd Foot*, Surgeon Jonas King Carr, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 24th July, 1866.

34*th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Ansell Boggs, from the 55th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Wyatt, who exchanges. Dated 8th June, 1866.

37*th Foot*, Captain Edward Hugo Budgen, from half-pay, late 82nd Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Major, Thomas Smith, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 14th August, 1866.

51*st Foot*, Captain James Warren Hastings Anderson, from half-pay, late 87th Foot, to be Captain, vice Charles Leslie Baillie Hamilton, placed upon half-pay. Dated 14th August, 1866.

55*th Foot*, Lieutenant Louis Wyatt, from the 34th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Boggs, who exchanges. Dated 8th June, 1866.

Surgeon Thomas Parr, having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 21st July, 1866.

60*th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Meade has been

permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Ensign Henry Donald Browne to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Henry Gumbleton, who retires. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Ensign Edward Bernard Coleman, from the 13th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Browne. Dated 14th August, 1866.

71*st Foot*, Captain George James Gilbard, from the 13th Hussars, to be Captain, vice Hill, who exchanges. Dated 14th August, 1866.

97*th Foot*, Major Edward Douglass Harvest, from half-pay, late 97th Foot, to be Major, vice James Florence Murray, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 14th August, 1866.

100*th Foot*, The services of Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain Joseph Hutchison, have been dispensed with. Dated 14th August, 1866.

105*th Foot*, Quartermaster-Serjeant John Bignell, from a Depôt Battalion, to be Quartermaster, vice Thomas Langford, deceased. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Walter Hepburn Melitas Fitzherbert to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Fairfield, who retires. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Richard Frederick Thompson, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Fitzherbert. Dated 14th August, 1866.

1*st West India Regiment*, Edward John West Laing, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lockhart Mure Hartley Kennedy, whose appointment on the 15th June, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Serjeant-Major John Connors to be Quartermaster, vice Thomas Miller, deceased. Dated 14th August, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Andrew Thomas Carbery has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Archer, from the 98th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice George Traynor, who resigns. Dated 14th August, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Major James Florence Murray, from the 97th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Robert Hudson Wood, from 67th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BREVET.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Lothian Nicholson, C.B., Royal Engineers, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Cornwallis Maude, C.B., Royal Artillery, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Major, John Wheatley, half-pay, late of a Recruiting District, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th June, 1866.

Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Major, Thomas Smith, half-pay, late 37th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th August, 1866.

Major Charles Armstrong, 35th Foot, to have the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in India. Dated 25th April, 1866.

The following Officers to have the local rank of Major in India :—

Captain Robert A. Taylor, 103rd Foot. Dated 7th March, 1866.

Captain William F. T. Marshall, 19th Foot. Dated 13th March, 1866.

Captain George Thomas Gough, 2nd Dragoon Guards. Dated 4th April, 1866.

Captain Richard Doyle Barrett, 19th Foot. Dated 14th April, 1866.

Captain Francis George King, 21st Foot. Dated 14th April, 1866.

Captain Edward Kent Jones, 97th Foot. Dated 21st April, 1866.

Captain Attilio Scheberras, 98th Foot. Dated 21st April, 1866.

Captain Samuel Fritche Blyth, 35th Foot. Dated 28th April, 1866.

Captain Peter Edward Quin, 33rd Foot. Dated 22nd May, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Dorset Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Edwin Burnett to be Captain, vice Brown, resigned. Dated 7th August, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 17, 1866.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, August 17, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed to the public on and after Monday next, the 20th instant; they will be re-opened, under the usual regulations, on and after Monday, the 27th instant.

St. James's Palace, August 1, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Charles Hugh Lindsay, M.P., to be one of the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Nigel Fitzhardinge Kingscote, C.B., M.P., resigned.

Downing Street, August 15, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Nicholson, Esq., M.D., and John Rawlins Semper, Esq., to be Members of the Executive Council of the Island of Antigua.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint John Dent, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of Hong Kong.

Whitehall, August 16, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, granting unto John von Sonnentag Haviland, Gentleman, the office of Rouge Croix Pursuivant of Arms, vacant by the promotion of James Robinson Planché, Esq., to the office of Somerset Herald.

Crown Office August 17, 1866.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Carnarvon.

The Honourable George Douglas Pennant, in the room of the Honourable Edward Gordon Douglas Pennant (now Baron Penrhyn), summoned to the House of Peers.

(1312.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 16, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Despatch from the Acting Governor of Malta, reporting the imposition of a fifteen days quarantine on all arrivals from ports of Great Britain and Marseilles.

(1317.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 16, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received an announcement to the effect that cargo vessels from England, arriving at Alexandria, even with clean bills of health, must undergo ten days quarantine from the date of their arrival at that port, but that transit passengers and goods go through at once by quarantine trains.

(1319)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 16, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Naples, announcing the imposition by the Health Office of a fifteen days Quarantine upon vessels arriving from any port in Great Britain, which may have left such port subsequently to the 28th July; and further stating, that vessels from the following ports have now to undergo a fifteen days quarantine; that is to say:—

From all ports in Great Britain, Ireland, and the Isle of Man.

Cronstadt, and the neighbourhood.

Stettin.

Stockholm.

Holland.

Belgium.

Ports on the French Coast, from Dunkirk to Nantes, and

All French Ports in the Mediterranean, except Algiers.

(1301.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 16, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister in Italy, inclosing a Decree of the Italian Government of the 14th July, 1866, fixing the following import and export duties in the Italian Tariff.

These duties became chargeable on the 10th August last, and all payments are to be made in specie.

TABLE A.—IMPORT DUTIES.

Articles.	Unity.	Duty.		Observations.
		frs.	cts.	
Wine, in skins and casks	hectolitre	5	0	
,, in bottles	each bottle	0	15	
Coffee	quintal (100 kilos.)	50	0	
Comfits and preserves	ditto	40	0	
Cloves	kilogram	1	0	

Articles.	Unity	Duty.		Observations.
		frs.	cts.	
Nutmegs (without the husk)	kilogram	2	0	
Pepper and pimento	quintal (100 kilos.)	40	0	
Tea	kilogram	3	0	
Meat—salted and smoked	quintal	20	0	
Oxen and bulls	each	15	0	
Cows	ditto	8	0	
Heifers and bullocks	ditto	5	0	
Calves	ditto	2	0	
Sheep	ditto	0	25	
Swine (weighing over 20 kilograms)	ditto	2	0	
„ (weighing less than 20 kilograms)	ditto	0	50	
In consideration of special circumstances in the border countries, the Minister of Finance may permit the importation of cattle for pasture and labour, and to winter.				

Cotton yarn, unbleached, single, measuring not more than 20,000 mètres to the half kilogram	quintal	15	0	including additional duties
„ „ unbleached, from 20,001 to 30,000	ditto	20		ditto
„ „ „ more than 30,000 ...	ditto	25		ditto
Cotton tissues, unbleached, weighing from 7 to 11 kilograms and upwards the 100 square mètres, and of 35 threads or less to the 5 square millimètres	ditto	50	0	ditto
„ „ bleached, weighing as above ...	ditto	57	0	ditto
Other cotton tissues, not specified above, unbleached	ditto	65	0	ditto
„ „ „ not specified above, bleached ...	ditto	74	0	ditto
Cotton tissues, woven in colours and dyed ...	ditto	90	0	ditto
Shawls, handkerchiefs, cravats, and other articles of wool or hair, pure or mixed with thread or cotton, sold by the piece, of the value of 50 francs and less : —				
Assimilated to tissues of wool or hair, pure or mixed with thread or cotton, fulled or carded or not.				

Articles.	Unity.	Duty.		Observations.
		frs.	cts.	
Corn—the produce of any country	quintal	0	75	
The Minister of Finance may permit the temporary importation of grain to be ground and re-exported as flour.				
Flour	ditto	1	25	
Corn and flour will, in addition to the above-mentioned duties, be further subject to a duty of account (*diritto di bilancia*) which will be reduced, when the present Tariff is put in force, to 25 centimes per quintal. However, the payment of this duty of account is not required on corn and flour coming into the interior from the free cities of Ancona, Leghorn, Messina, and the free port of Genoa, that duty being paid there on arrival.				
Bran	ditto	0	75	

Hats – not of straw, except ornamented women's hats	ad valorem	10 per cent.	
Whalebone, cut	kilo.	0	60
Feathers, ornamental, prepared	ditto	30	0
Iron ore	...	free	
,, cast, pig or fragments	...	free	
,, ,, worked, plain or mixed with other metals (Cannons are included in this denomination.)	quintal	1	0
,, ,, chairs for railways	ditto	0	50
,, of 1st fusion in bars, rods, &c., of any form and diameter	ditto	4	0
,, wire	ditto	7	0
,, rails, of iron or steel	ditto	1	0
,, of 2nd fusion, plain	ditto	10	0
,, ,, in beams, anchors, axletrees, anvils, sledge hammers, and ploughshares ...	ditto	6	0
,, ,, mixed with other metals ...	ditto	12	0
,, ,, in sheets of 4 millimètres and more in thickness ...	ditto	4	0

Articles.	Unity.	Duty.		Observations.
		frs.	cts.	
Iron of 2nd fusion, plain, of less than 4 millimètres and tubes	quintal	8	0	
Tin plates, not wrought	ditto	8	0	
,, wrought, or with small ornaments of other metals	ditto	15	0	
Steel, in bars or fragments...	ditto	12	0	
,, drawn or wrought	ditto	20	0	
,, springs, for carriages and the like	ditto	15	0	
Iron, old, broken, &c.	...	free		
,, chips, filings, and dross	...	free		
Steam engines—locomotives and for navigation ...	100 kilos.	4	0	
Steam and hydraulic engines—fixed	ditto	3	0	
Machinery for agriculture, manufactures, and arts	ditto	2	0	
,, not enumerated...	ad valorem	1 per cent.		
Separate parts of a machine are subject to the same duty as the entire machine.				

The following dispositions will take effect simultaneously with the present tariff, all others, to the contrary, being abrogated :—

Exemption from duty on anchors, chains, sheets of zinc, copper, and brass, is granted in favour of ship-builders.

For every wooden ship built in an Italian yard there shall be awarded to the builders two francs per ton of measurement, ascertained in the manner prescribed by the Royal Decree of May 19, 1862, No. 627, without the deduction of 40 per cent. mentioned in Art. 3 of that decree, for ships provided with engines.

Repayment shall be made of the amount of duty received on the iron used in the construction of ships built wholly of iron, or of iron and wood combined, subject to such rules and precautions as may be determined upon.

No special exemption of import duty is granted to machine makers.

TABLE B.—EXPORT DUTIES.

Articles.	Unity.	Duty.		Observations.
		frs.	cts.	
Wine, in casks	hectolitre	1	0	
,, in bottles	each bottle	0	05	

Articles.	Unity.	Duty.		Observations.
		frs.	cts.	
Oil, volatile and other essences, not enumerated ...	quintal	2	0	
Juice of lemon and citron	ditto	1	0	
Manna	ditto	5	0	
Aloe and other juices, not enumerated	ditto	3	0	
Mustard seed	ditto	1	50	
Liquorice root	ditto	1	0	
Boracic acid	ditto	4	0	
Salt, sea	ditto	0	10	
rock	ditto	1	0	
Cream of tartar	ditto	2	0	
Dye stuffs, not enumerated, not ground	ditto	0	50	
,, ,, ground	ditto	1	0	
Acid fruits	ditto	0	25	
Dried fruits, not enumerated	ditto	1	0	
Almonds, in the husk	ditto	1	50	
,, cleaned	ditto	3	0	

Walnuts and filberts, &c.	ditto	0	40
Seeds, various	ditto	1	50
Meat, fresh, and poultry	ditto	2	0
„ salted and smoked	ditto	2	0
Cheese	ditto	1	0
Eggs	ditto	1	0
Oxen and bulls	each	5	0
Cows	ditto	4	0
Bullocks, heifers, &c.	ditto	2	0
Calves	ditto	1	0
Swine, weighing more than 20 kilograms	ditto	1	0
„ weighing less than 20 kilograms	ditto	0	59
In consideration of special circumstances in the border districts, the Department of Finance may permit the temporary exportation of cattle for pasture and labour, and to winter.			
Hides, raw	quintal	4	0
Prepared leather	ditto	8	0

Articles.	Unity.	Duty.		Observations.
		frs.	cts.	
Hemp and flax, and other filamentous vegetable products, in the stalk	quintal	0	50	
,, tow	ditto	1	0	
,, raw	ditto	1	0	
,, combed	ditto	2	0	
Wool	ditto	6	0	
Cocoons	ditto	10	0	
Waste silk	ditto	8	0	
Raw silk	ditto	35	0	
Corn	ditto	0	50	
Its temporary exportation for the purpose of being ground and re-imported as flour may be permitted by the Finance Department.				
Chestnuts	ditto	0	50	

Rice, with the husk	ditto	0	50
,, without the husk	ditto	1	0
Flour	ditto	0	75
Wheaten paste	ditto	1	0
Bread and biscuit	ditto	1	0
Hats...	ditto	10	0
Plaitings of straw, bark, &c., for fine hats ...	ditto	5	0
,, ,, for coarse hats ...	ditto	2	0
,, for cordage, &c.	ditto	1	0
Iron, in pigs and fragments	ditto	0	30
,, ore	ditto	0	10
Copper ore	ditto	0	50
Lead ore	ditto	0	50
,, pig, and fragments	ditto	1	0
Marble, rough	ditto	0	10

(1308.)

Board of Trade Whitehall,
August 16, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from the Italian Minister at this Court, reporting that, in consequence of the outbreak of cholera, a quarantine of fifteen days will be imposed on vessels arriving in Italian Ports from Ireland and the Isle of Man.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Royal North Lincoln Militia.

William Richardson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Locock, promoted. Dated 10th August, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 21, 1866.

Foreign Office, August 20, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. J. W. Musson as Consul for the Bermuda Islands for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

Whitehall, August 18, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend James Hay to the church and parish of Inverkeillor, in the presbytery of Arbroath, and county of Forfar, vacant by the death of the Reverend George Arklay.

Crown Office, August 18, 1866.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Salop.

Northern Division.

The Honourable Adelbert Wellington Cust, in the room of the Honourable Charles Henry Cust, who has accepted the office of Steward of Her Majesty's Chiltern Hundreds.

War Office, Pall Mall,
21*st August*, 1866.

Corps of Royal Engineers.

Major-General Henry Sandham to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Harry David Jones, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

20*th Hussars*, Gentleman Cadet Charles Swaine Hogge, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, vice A. W. Gordon Brebner, promoted. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Royal Artillery, Second Captain Thomas Mahon to be Captain, vice Frederick Close, removed to the Supernumerary List on being appointed Assistant-Superintendent of the Royal Carriage Department. Dated 1st August, 1866

Lieutenant William Morritt Barneby Walton to be Second Captain, vice Mahon. Dated 1st August, 1866.

Royal Engineers, Captain Valentine Thomas Mairis to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Sir John William Gordon, K.C.B., removed as a General Officer. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Second Captain Arthur Reid Lempriere to be Captain, vice Mairis. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Cooper Seddon to be Second Captain, vice Lempriere. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the following Officers have been made permanent, viz.:—

Henry Pineke Lee. Dated 24th June, 1863.

Francis Quintin Edmondes. Dated 24th June, 1863.

Elliott Wood. Dated 15th January, 1864.

Henry Elsdale. Dated 15th January, 1864.

Hendley Paul Kirkwood. Dated 15th January, 1864.

Sydenham John Lambert. Dated 15th January, 1864.

Henry Philip C. Dillon. Dated 8th March, 1864.

James Ford Dorward. Dated 19th July, 1864.

1st Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Robert Cosens-Weir to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Binnie Mackenzie, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Ensign Arthur Julian Burnett to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cosens-Weir. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Baynes Nixon, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Burnett. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Surgeon William Grantt, M.B., from the 87th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Charles William Woodroffe, who exchanges. Dated 21st August, 1866.

7*th Foot*, Ensign Thomas John Raymond Mallock to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Frederick Powell, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet John Henry Courtney Clarke, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mallock. Dated 21st August, 1866.

17*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Mogg Rolph to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Alexander Aitkin Ross, appointed Paymaster. Dated 23rd July, 1866.

20*th Foot*, Ensign John Lacey Morley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hubert Cecil Zouch de Stacpoole, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Henry Bamber, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice John Lacey Morley. Dated 21st August, 1866,

25*th Foot*, Captain Henry Pears to be Major, by purchase, vice Astley Campbell Smith, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Lieutenant John Talbot Coke to be Captain, by purchase, vice Pears. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Ensign Hugh Gough Collis to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Coke. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Allen Neason Adams, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign by purchase, vice Collis. Dated 21st August, 1866.

27*th Foot*, Serjeant Leonard William Peck, from the 16th Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Samuel Yates Worthington, deceased. Dated 21st August, 1866.

29*th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Edward Pinckney Simpson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Martin Charles Selwyn Tupper, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Ensign William Evans to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Simpson. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Stephen John Stevens, from the Royal Military College to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Evans. Dated 21st August, 1866.

30*th Foot*, Lieutenant E. St. George Smyth to be Captain, by purchase, vice Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Mingaye Green, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Ensign Neil Bannatyne to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Smyth. Dated 21st August, 1866,

Gentleman Cadet Charles Robert Butler, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bannatyne. Dated 21st August. 1866.

Lieutenant Neil Bannatyne to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant E. St. George Smyth, promoted. Dated 21st August, 1866.

34*th Foot*, Captain Julius D. Laurie, from the Seconded List, to be Captain, vice Arthur Trevor Leake Chapman, seconded on appointment as Captain Instructor at the Schools of Musketry. Dated 21st August, 1866

36*th Foot*, Ensign William Hamilton Marriott to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Thomas Cramer Roberts, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet John Francis Egerton, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Marriott. Dated 21st August, 1866.

37*th Foot*, Captain John Davis to be Major, by purchase, vice F. John Nash Ind, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederick N. Dew, from the 88th Foot, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Davis. Dated 21st August, 1866.

41*st Foot*, Captain Louis D'Acosta, from half-pay, late 64th Foot, to be Captain, vice John Edmund Harvey, who retires upon half-pay on appointment as Staff Officer of Pensioners on the 20th August, 1866. Dated 21st August. 1866.

47*th Foot*, Major William George Margesson, from half-pay, late 56th Foot, to be Major, vice H. C. Lodder, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 21st August, 1866.

60*th Foot*, Ensign Edmund Lomax Fraser to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John William Rhodes, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

70*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Robert Henry Johnston, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice William Musgrave, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

75*th Foot*, Lieutenant Irving Stening Allfrey to be Captain, by purchase, vice Oswald William Every, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

86*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet William Henry Hardwicke Jackson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Edward Collins Wood, who retires. Dated 21st August, 1866.

87*th Foot*, Surgeon Charles William Woodroffe, from the 1st Foot, to be Surgeon, vice William Grantt, M.B., who exchanges. Dated 21st August, 1866.

88*th Foot*, Ensign Edward Agincourt Brind to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Frederick N.

Dew, promoted, by purchase, in the 37th Foot. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Andrew Thomas Boyle, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Brind. Dated 21st August, 1866.

2nd West India Regiment, Ensign Malcolm MacGregor to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice William Everitt Last, deceased. Dated 3rd July, 1866.

Ensign Charles Henry Tongue to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Malcolm MacGregor, whose promotion, without purchase, on the 20th July, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 20th July, 1866.

CAVALRY DEPOT.

Captain George Silvester Davies, from half-pay, late 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Adjutant. Dated 16th July, 1862.

STAFF.

Captain and Brevet-Major the Honourable L. W. Milles, half-pay, late Rifle Brigade, to be Fort Major at Edinburgh, vice Brevet-Major Ramsay, Unattached, appointed Town Major of the Western District. Dated 21st August, 1866.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE.

General Sir George Augustus Wetherall, G.C.B., Colonel of the 84th Foot, to be Governor, vice Lieutenant-General Sir H. D. Jones, G C.B., deceased. Dated 21st August, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon David Palmer Ross, M.D., has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 21st August, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Captain and Brevet-Major William Henry Fitzgerald, from the 68th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain Matthew Fanning, from the 27th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BREVET.

Captain and Brevet-Major Peter Stark Lumsden, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Captain Richard Hussey Vivian, 14th Foot, to be Major. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Captain Edmund Leach, 50th Foot, to be Major. Dated 21st August, 1866.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on the 2nd instant, of Lieutenant-General Sir Harry David Jones, G.C.B., Colonel Commandant of Royal Engineers:—

Major-General Henry Sandham, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Sir John William Gordon, K.C.B., Royal Engineers, to be Major-General. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Major Arthur Frederick Warren, Rifle Brigade, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Captain Edward Andrée Wylde, Royal Marines, to be Major. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of:—

General George Jackson, Madras Infantry, on the 26th May, 1866;

General Thomas Henry Paul, Bengal Infantry, on the 11th June, 1866;
General Samuel Swinhoe, Bengal Infantry, on the 18th June, 1866; and
General Charles William Hamilton, Bengal Infantry, on the 22nd July, 1866.

To be Generals.

Lieutenant-General John Morgan, C.B., Madras Infantry. Dated 27th May, 1866.
Lieutenant-General Charles Arthur Grenads Wallington, Bengal Infantry. Dated 12th June, 1866.
Lieutenant-General Thomas Oliver, Bengal Infantry. Dated 19th June, 1866.
Lieutenant-General Henry Hall, C.B., Bengal Infantry. Dated 23rd July, 1866.

To be Lieutenant-Generals.

Major-General Francis Straton, Madras Cavalry. Dated 27th May, 1866.
Major-General Charles Richard William Lane, C.B., Bengal Infantry. Dated 12th June, 1866.
Major-General George Brooke, C.B., Royal Artillery. Dated 19th June, 1866.
Major-General John Yaldwyn, Madras Infantry. Dated 23rd July, 1866.

To be Major-Generals.

Colonel Peter Thomas Cherry, Madras Cavalry. Dated 27th May, 1866.
Colonel John William Croggan, Royal Artillery. Dated 12th June, 1866.
Colonel James Abbott, Royal Artillery. Dated 19th June, 1866.
Colonel Philip Kearney Skinner, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 23rd July, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers, who have retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank, as follows :—

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Alexander Cowper, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Fisher Stevens, Madras Infantry. Dated 21st August, 1866.

To be Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals Francis Anderson, M.D., Bengal Establishment. Dated 21st August, 1866.

To be Deputy Inspectors-General of Hospitals.

Surgeon-Major Thomas Saumarez Lacy, Bengal Establishment. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Surgeon-Major Theodore Cayley Hutchinson, Bengal Establishment. Dated 21st August, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Major William Henry Fitzgerald, half-pay, late 68th Foot, has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum, of 15th February, 1861. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Admiralty, 16th August, 1866.

The following promotions have this day been made :—

Mr. John Cooper to be Acting Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 13th April, 1866.

Mr. Alexander Ferguson McIntyre to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. John Forrest to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. James Keay to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. James Finlay to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Edward Ramsay to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Arthur Shanks to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Thomas McFarlane to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Edinburgh *or* Midlothian.

Royal Midlothian Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Allan Bertram Macallan to be Lieutenant, vice the Earl of Buchan, resigned. Dated 6th August, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the services of Captain William Bagot D'Arcy being dispensed with. Dated 14th August, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 24, 1866.

Whitehall, August 22, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Gustavus Frederick, Viscount Boyne, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Brancepeth, of Brancepeth, in the county palatine of Durham.

(1327.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 23, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, reporting that the authorities at Malaga have imposed a three days' Quarantine on all arrivals from Gibraltar, to be performed at one of the duly qualified Lazarets of Cadiz or Carthagena.

(1327.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 23, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a

copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Lisbon, announcing the following Regulations of the Lisbon Board of Health :—

By Decree of the 23rd ultimo Southampton, Liverpool, and Llanelly were declared to be ports infected with cholera, since the 14th of July; and the English ports in the English and Irish Channels to be only suspected ports from that date;

By Decree of the 27th of July last all the ports in England and Ireland were declared to be suspected ports, with the exception of the three above mentioned; viz.: Liverpool, Southampton, and Llanelly, which still continued to be infected;

By Decree, dated the 3rd of August, the Board of Health declare that the ports in Scotland are not included in the number of those declared to be suspected of cholera, by the above-mentioned Decree of the 27th of July; and

By Decree of the 6th of August no quarantines, whether they be classed as rigorous or precautionary, imposed upon vessels arriving from any ports, either infected with or suspected of Cholera, shall be accepted as such, unless they are undergone at the port of Lisbon.

(1363.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 23, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translation of a Decree issued by the Italian Government, and rectifying certain errors in the tables of new import and export duties in the Italian Tariff which appeared in the London Gazette of the 17th instant :—

WE, Eugene of Savoy-Carignan, Lieutenant-

General, &c, by virtue of the authority delegated to us, &c., &c., seeing that in the tables annexed to the Decree of July 14, 1866, there are some incomplete or inaccurate indications which require to be explained or rectified. On the proposal of the Minister of Finance, have ordained as follows .—

ART. 1. Coffee, pepper, and pimento are charged with the duty indicated in Table A. of the Decree of July 14, by the *gross weight*, as at present.

The words "*as above*," which follow the words "*Tissues of cotton, bleached, of the weight*," refer likewise to the *number of threads* indicated above.

ART. 2. In Table B., for the quintal (100 kilogrammes), the ton (1,000 kilogrammes) is to be substituted as the unity of weight for the articles mentioned below, the denomination of which and the duty chargeable on them shall be stated in the following rectified manner :—

		Fcs.	Centimes.
Iron ore	the ton	0	20
Copper ore ...	,,	5	90
Lead ore ("*arcifoglio*," galena, carbonates and sulphates of lead), containing 50 per cent., or more, of pure lead	,,	5	00

We ordain that the present Decree, sealed with the seal of the State, be inserted, &c., &c.

(Signed) EUGENE OF SAVOY.

Florence, August 8, 1866.

War Office, Pall Mall,
24th August, 1866.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend D. Robertson, M.A., Chaplain of the Second Class, to be Chaplain of the First Class. Dated 16th May, 1866.

The Reverend Thomas Gardner, Chaplain of the Third Class, to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 15th July, 1866.

India Office, 23rd August, 1866.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following appointments to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service :—

BENGAL.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Griffith Griffith. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Lewis Cameron, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Daniel O'Connell Raye, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.
James Thomas Gage, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.
William Pleace Warburton, M.B. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Edward Alfred Birch. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Dean Philip Palmer, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Denis Francis Keegan, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.
William Walker Galloway, M.B. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Lewis Edward Eades. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Stephen Coull Mackenzie, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.

MADRAS.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

John MacPherson, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Lewis Charles Nanney. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Patrick John Shannon, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Charles Edwin McVittie. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Cormac Michael Cullinan. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Henry Charles Mayer. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Frederick Martin Rickard. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Daniel Frederick Bateman. Dated 31st March, 1866.

BOMBAY.

To be Assistant-Surgeons.

Richard Murray Vesey. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Wellington Gray. Dated 31st March, 1866.
David Erskine Hughes, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Thomas Holmested. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Robert Bowman. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Alexander Laing, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Alexander Hamilton Miller. Dated 31st March, 1866.
Thomas Cody. Dated 31st March, 1866.
John Raby. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Admiralty, 21*st August*, 1866.

Mr. Alexander Reid has this day been promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 16th August, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

2nd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of Quartermaster Richard Austin Herbert being allowed to serve with the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 15th August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

6th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Dudley Ward Macdonald, Esq, to be Captain, vice Edward Fleetwood Hesketh, resigned. Dated 4th August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.

Leicester Regiment of Militia.

Captain Joseph Knight to be Major, vice Noel, resigned. Dated 17th August, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Charles Newdigate Newdegate, M.P, to be Captain, vice De Burgh, promoted. Dated 9th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Robert Boucherett to be Captain, vice Cox, deceased. Dated 9th August, 1866.

Cornet Charles Henry Mills to be Lieutenant, vice Newdegate, promoted. Dated 9th August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew.

Prince of Wales's Royal Regiment of Renfrew Militia.

George Ludovic Houstoun, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th August, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 28, 1866.

Foreign Office, August 24, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. I. S. George as Consul for the Bahama Islands for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

Downing Street, August 25, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Edward Everard Rushworth, Esq., D.C.L., to be Financial Secretary of the Island of Jamaica.

(1360.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 27, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Circular issued by the Austrian Central Maritime Government, dated Trieste, the 2nd August, 1866, announcing that arrivals by sea from London and Liverpool, which may have sailed from thence on, or after, the 10th instant, will be treated, in Austrian ports, according to the regulations in force against cholera.

(1365.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 27, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Bucharest, reporting that the Moldo-Wallachian Government, by an Order, dated August 12, have prohibited the exportation of maize, barley, and millet, and declared the importation of those cereals to be free of duty.

(1374.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 27, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Rome, announcing that notice has been issued by the Roman Government, to the effect that all vessels and passengers arriving at Civita Vecchia from the ports of Great Britain will be liable to fifteen days' quarantine.

(1374.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 27, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a notice issued by the Lisbon Board of Health, announcing that the port of London is considered to be infected since the 20th July last.

(1374).

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 27, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at

Tunis, announcing that all arrivals from England will be subjected to a fourteen days' quarantine.

Admiralty, 24th August, 1866.

Lieutenant the Honourable Albert Denison Somerville Denison to be Commander.

Sub-Lieutenants :

Henry Briggs Lang,
Leonard Dacres,
Francis Augustus Delmé Radcliffe,

to be Lieutenants.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cambridge.

Lieutenant-General John Hall to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

Francis Wheler, Viscount Hood, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northampton.

Royal Kettering Troop of Yeomanry Cavalry.

George Lewis Watson, Esq., to be Supernumerary-Lieutenant. Dated 16th August, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 31, 1866.

(1384.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 30, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, enclosing a copy of an announcement with reference to a contemplated exhibition of hops and beer, to be held at Dijon, in the month of October next, and of which the following is a translation :—

International Exhibition of Hops and Beer.

THE Central Agricultural Committee of the Côte d'Or has decided upon organizing an International Exhibition of Hops and Beer, in the year 1866.

This exhibition will take place at Dijon, towards the middle of the month of October next.

All producers of hops and manufacturers of beer in France and in foreign countries will be permitted to take part in it. Several gold medals, of at least three hundred francs in value, medals of silver, and other rewards, will be distributed to the exhibitors of the best productions.

Besides the samples of hops and beer, all kinds of instruments and apparatus employed in the cultivation of hops and in the manufacture of

beer will be received, as well as papers treating of matters connected with either subject.

Applications from persons desirous of becoming exhibitors can at once be addressed to M. Ladrey, Secretary to the Committee, Dijon. The 15th of September is fixed as the latest date for the sending in of such applications. A detailed programme will very shortly be published, which will make known the different arrangements for the exhibition, as well as the precise date at which the packages should be forwarded.

War Office, Pall Mall,

31st August, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Lawrence Dundas, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice George Charles, Marquis of Blandford, promoted. Dated 31st August, 1866.

6th Dragoons, Cornet Maitland Rossiter Coleman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Frederick Wise, who retires. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Henry John Mills, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Coleman. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry Paget Christie to be Colonel, vice Charles James Buchanan Riddell, C.B., who retires upon full-pay. Dated 8th August, 1866.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Moubray to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Christie. Dated 8th August, 1866.

Second Captain Charles Edward Stirling to be Captain, vice Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Moubray. Dated 8th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Brackenbury, on the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain. Dated 8th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Alfred Gorham to be Second Captain, vice Stirling. Dated 8th August, 1866.

9th Foot, Lieutenant Richard Roberts to be Captain, by purchase, vice Allen George Douglas, who retires. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Ensign Anthony John Charles Donelan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Roberts. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet John Baines Seddon Deverell, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice John Charles Kyle, deceased. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Lockhart Banister, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Donelan. Dated 1st September, 1866.

16th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Philip Neil, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Sir James Liston Foulis, Bart., who retires. Dated 31st August, 1866.

20th Foot, Lieutenant George Vernon Colman Napier, from the 58th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Whybrow, who exchanges. Dated 31st August, 1866.

32nd Foot, Ensign Matthew William Lister to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hugh William Mortimer Cathcart, deceased. Dated 2nd August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet William Francis Dundonald Cochrane, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Lister Dated 31st August, 1866.

58*th Foot*, Lieutenant James Whybrow, from the 20th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Napier, who exchanges. Dated 31st August, 1866.

63*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Foster has been permitted to retire from the Service by the Sale of his Commission. Dated 31st August, 1866.

84*th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard Hebden O'Grady Haly to be Captain, by purchase, vice George F. Tod Whitlock, who retires. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Ensign Robert James Miller to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Haly. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Ensign Algernon Wowen Rooke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas George Kerans, who retires. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Walter Bracebridge Fletcher, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Miller. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet James Moray Brown, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Rooke. Dated 1st September, 1866.

92*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Penry Boleyn Williams has been permitted to retire from the Service by the Sale of his Commission. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, Veterinary - Surgeon Thomas Paton to be promoted to the First Class, vice Barker, 7th Hussars, placed upon half-pay. Dated 31st August, 1866.

BREVET.

Colonel Charles James Buchanan Riddell, C.B., retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Major-

General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 8th August, 1866.

The following Officers to have the local rank of Major in India :—

Captain C. McW. Mercer, Royal Artillery. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain David Thomson, Royal Artillery. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Charles Clarke, Royal Artillery. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain C. E. H. Cotes, Royal Artillery. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain E. A. Law, 103rd Foot. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Lieutenant A. D. Geddes, 27th Foot, to have the local rank of Captain in India. Dated 6th June, 1866.

Admiralty, 28th August, 1866.

Acting Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Percy Douglas to be Acting Lieutenant, confirming a Commission given by Vice-Admiral George St. Vincent King, C.B., Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the China Station, in a vacancy caused by the death of Lieutenant Cockell, with seniority from 24th May, 1866.

William Patterson Haynes, Esq., has been this day promoted to the rank of Master in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 13th August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

West Essex Militia.

Henry Fothergill to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet William Capel Clarke Thornhill to be Lieutenant, vice Boucherett, promoted. Dated 9th August, 1866

Francis de Burgh to be Cornet, vice Mills, promoted. Dated 9th August, 1866.

Frederick Cox to be Cornet, vice Thornhill, promoted. Dated 9th August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.

Royal Pembrokeshire Artillery Militia.

John Henry Harries, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

North Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Stephen Gore Langton, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Jones, promoted. Dated 25th August, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 4, 1866.

Foreign Office, September 3, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. G. H. Heap as Consul at Belfast for the United States of America.

(1391.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 3, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a notification announcing that vessels arriving at Patras from Great Britain are to be subjected to eleven days' quarantine, to be performed at the Port of Trizonia, in the Gulf of Corinth.

(1402.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 3, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a notification to the effect that the fifteen days' quarantine imposed at Civita Vecchia upon vessels arriving from the Ports of Great Britain, will, so far as Liverpool and London are concerned, be applied to all vessels which sailed from those ports subsequently to the 8th of July last.

(1326.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 27, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translation of a Public Act, and its Annexes, signed at Galatz by the European Commission of the Danube, on the 2nd November, 1865, in substitution for the translation which appeared in the London Gazette of the 24th April last.

PUBLIC ACT relative to the Navigation of the Mouths of the Danube.

An European Commission having been instituted by Art. 16 of the Treaty of Paris of 30th March, 1856, in order to put the part of the Danube lying below Isaktcha, its mouths, and the neighbouring parts of the sea, in the best possible conditions of navigability:

And the said Commission acting in virtue of this mandate, having succeeded, after nine years' work, in realizing important improvements in the system of navigation—notably, by the construction of two piers at the mouth of the Sulina Branch, which have had the effect of admitting into this embouchure vessels of a large draught of water—by the execution of works of correction and cleansing in the course of the same branch—by raising wrecks, and establishing a system of buoys—by the erection of a lighthouse at the mouth of the St. George—by the institution of a regular lifeboat service, and by the creation of a seamen's hospital at Sulina—lastly, by the provisional regulation of the different services connected with the navigation between Isaktcha and the sea:

The Powers who signed the said Treaty concluded at Paris on the 30th March, 1856, desiring to make known, that in thus accomplishing an essential part of its task, the European Commission has acted in conformity with their intentions, and wishing to determine, by a Public Act, the rights and obligations which the new state of things established on the Lower Danube has created for the different parties interested, and particularly for all the Flags navigating the river, have named for their Plenipotentiaries; that is to say:—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, John Stokes, Esq.,

Major in the Corps of Royal Engineers, decorated with the Imperial Order of the Medjidié of the Fourth Class, &c. &c.

His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, King of Hungary and Bohemia, the Sieur Alfred Chevalier de Kremer, his Consul for the Course of the Lower Danube, decorated with the Imperial Order of the Medjidié of the Fourth Class.

His Majesty the Emperor of the French, the Sieur Edward Engelhardt, his Consul of the First Class, Knight of the Imperial Order of the Legion of Honour.

His Majesty the King of Italy, the Sieur Hannibal Chevalier Strambio, his Political Agent and Consul-General in the United Principalities, Commander of his Order of Saint Maurice and Saint Lazarus.

His Majesty the King of Prussia, the Sieur Julius Alexander Aloyse Saint Pierre, Knight of his Order of the Red Eagle of the Third Class, with the knot of the Order of the Danebrog of Denmark, Officer of the Royal Order of Leopold of Belgium, decorated with the Imperial Order of Saint Ann of Russia of the Second Class, Commander of the Order of Albert of Royal Saxony of the Second Class, and of the Order of the House of Ernest of Saxony, his Councillor of Legation, his Political Agent and Consul-General in the United Principalities.

His Majesty the Emperor of All the Russias, the Sieur Henry Baron d'Offenberg, his Councillor of State and Consul-General in the United Principalities, Knight of the Order of Saint Wladimir of the Third Class, of Saint Ann and of Saint Stanislaus of the Second Class, Knight of Saint John of Jerusalem, and of several foreign Orders.

His Majesty the Emperor of the Ottomans, Ahmet Rassim Pasha, Officer of the Rank of

Mirimiran, his Governor of the Province of Toultcha, decorated with the Imperial Order of the Medjidié of the Third Class.

Who, after having shown their full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon the following provisions.

PART I.

Provisions relating to the Material Conditions of the Navigation.

Art. 1.

All the works and establishments created in execution of Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris of 30th March, 1856, with all belonging to or depending from them, shall continue to be devoted exclusively to the use of the navigation of the Danube, and can never be turned aside from this object for any motive whatever; to this end they are placed under the guarantee and protection of international law.

The European Commission of the Danube, or the Authority which shall of right take its place, shall continue charged, to the exclusion of all interference whatever, to administer these works and establishments for the advantage of the navigation, to watch over their maintenance and preservation, and to give to them all the development that the requirements of the navigation may demand.

Art. 2.

There shall be specially reserved to the European Commission, or to the Authority that shall succeed it, the power to design and cause to be carried out all the works that may be deemed necessary, in the event of its being wished to render permanent the improvements, until now of a temporary character, in the branch and at the mouth of the

Sulina, and to prolong the piers at this mouth according as the state of the Bar Channel may require it.

Art. 3.

There will remain reserved to the said European Commission to undertake the improvement of the mouth and branch of the St. George resolved on by common agreement and simply postponed for the present.

Art. 4.

The Sublime Porte engages for the future, as hitherto, to lend to the European Commission, or to the Authority which shall succeed it, all the assistance and all the co-operation which either may require in the execution of engineering works, and, generally, in all that concerns the accomplishment of its task. It will take care that the banks of the Danube from Isaktcha to the sea remain free from all buildings, private rights of way, and other obstacles whatsoever, and it will continue, under reserve of the annual rent to which landed property is subject in Turkey, to leave at the disposal of the Commission, in the Port of Sulina, the left bank of the river for a distance of 760 metres up stream, measured from the root of the North Pier, and for a width of 150 metres, measured from the bank.

It consents moreover to grant a fitting site on the right bank of the river for the buildings which the Commission, or the Authority that shall succeed it, may think fit to erect for the service of the Port of Sulina, for the Seaman's Hospital, and for the other requirements of the Administration.

Art. 5.

In the event of the Commission making use of the reserve mentioned in Article 3, concerning

the improvement of the mouth and branch of St. George, the Sublime Porte consents that the said Commission may dispose, as soon as there shall be need of them, of the ground and sites belonging to the State Domain, which shall have been previously designed, and determined upon as necessary, both for the construction of works, and for the formation of the establishments which will have to be created in consequence of, or as a complement to, this improvement.

Art. 6.

It is understood—that on neither bank of the river, either in the Port of Sulina or St. George, shall there be constructed either by the territorial Authorities, by commercial or navigation companies, or by private individuals, any landing jetties, quays, or other establishments of the same nature, of which the plans have not been communicated to the European Commission and recognized as being in conformity with the general plan of the quays and as tending in nowise to compromise the effect of the works of improvement.

PART II.

Provisions relating to the Administrative Control of the Navigation.

§ 1.

Of Regulations in General.

Art. 7.

The navigation of the mouths of the Danube is governed by the "Regulation of Navigation and Police" enacted by the European Commission under date of this day, and which, annexed under letter A to the present Act, is to have the same force and value as if it formed part of it.

It is understood that this regulation is binding as law, not only in what concerns the River Police but also for the judgment of cases of civil procedure arising from the exercise of the navigation.

Art. 8.

The exercise of the navigation on the Lower Danube is placed under the authority and the superintendence of the Inspector-General of the Lower Danube, and of the Captain of the Port of Sulina.

These two Agents, named by the Sublime Porte, shall conform all their acts to the regulation, the application of which is confided to them, and to the strict observance of which they shall be sworn. The sentences emanating from their authority shall be pronounced in the name of His Majesty the Sultan.

In case the European Commission, or the permanent Riverain Commission shall establish that a delinquency or offence has been committed by one or other of the said Agents against the regulation of navigation and police, it will request his dismissal from the Sublime Porte. If the Sublime Porte thinks it necessary to proceed to a fresh inquiry into the facts already established by the Commission, the latter will have the right to attend it by the medium of a Delegate, and when the culpability of the accused shall have been duly proved, the Sublime Porte will provide without delay for his being replaced.

Except in the case, provided for by the preceding paragraph, the Inspector-General and the Captain of the Port of Sulina can only be removed from their respective posts at their own request, or in consequence of an agreement between the Sublime Porte, and the European Commission.

These Agents will thus both act under the superintendence of the European Commission.

The Inspector-General, the Captains of the Ports of Sulina, and Toultcha, and the Superintendents (subordinate to the Inspector-General), shall be paid by the Ottoman Government.

They shall be chosen from among competent persons.

Art. 9.

In virtue of the principles of the Act of the Congress of Vienna confirmed by Article 15 of the Treaty of Paris, the authority of the Inspector-General and of the Captain of the Port of Sulina is exercised towards all flags without distinction.

The Inspector-General is specially set over the police of the river below Isaktcha, exclusive of the Port of Sulina; he is assisted by Superintendents distributed over the different sections of the river within this jurisdiction.

The Captain of the Port of Sulina is charged with the police of the Port, and outer roadstead of Sulina.

A special instruction, determined by common agreement, regulates in its details the action of the Inspector-General and that of the Captain of the Port of Sulina.

Art. 10.

Merchant Captains, to whatever nationality they belong are bound to obey the orders given to them in virtue of the regulation of navigation and police by the Inspector-General and by the Captain of the Port of Sulina.

Art. 11.

The carrying out of the regulation of navigation and police, as well as the application of the tariff, of which mention will be made in the

thirteenth and following Articles of the present Act, is moreover insured by the action of the Vessels of War stationed at the mouths of the Danube, in conformity with Art. 19 of the Treaty of Paris.

Each Naval Force on the station acts upon the vessel of its own nationality and upon those whose flag it is called upon to protect, whether by virtue of Treaties or usage, or in consequence of a general or special delegation.

In default of a Vessel of War qualified to interfere, the International Authorities of the river can have recourse to the Vessel of War of the territorial Power.

Art. 12.

It is understood that the regulation of navigation and police joined to the present Act will continue to be law until such time as the regulations mentioned in Art. 17 of the Treaty of Paris shall have been determined by common agreement, and put in force. The same thing is understood of the provisions of the foregoing Articles 8, 9, and 10, in so far as the powers of the Inspector-General are concerned.

§ 2.

Of the Tariff of Navigation Dues.

Art. 13.

Art. 16 of the Treaty of Paris having conferred on the European Commission the right of imposing on the navigation a toll of a rate suited to cover the expenses of the works and establishments above-mentioned and the Commission having made use of this right, by enacting the tariff of 25th July, 1860, revised the 7th March, 1863, the proceeds of which have furnished it with the

resources necessary for the completion of the Sulina Works, it is expressly agreed upon, by the present Act, that the above-mentioned tariff, whose provisions have just been completed, shall continue to be binding for the future.

To this end, the tariff in question has been joined to the present Act, under letter B, to have the same force and value as if it formed an integral part of it.

Art. 14.

The proceeds of the tax shall be appropriated:

1st. By priority and preference to the repayment of the loans contracted by the European Commission, and of those which it may hereafter contract for completing the works for the improvement of the mouths of the Danube.

2nd. To covering the expenses of administration and maintenance of the works and establishments.

3rd. To the liquidation of the advances made to the Commission by the Sublime Porte. This liquidation will be effected in conformity with a special arrangement concluded for this purpose between the European Commission and the Delegate of His Imperial Majesty the Sultan, under this day's date.

The surplus of these proceeds, if there is any, shall be held in reserve to meet the expenses that may be incurred by the prolongation of the Sulina Piers, or by the carrying out of such other works as the European Commission or the authority which shall succeed it, shall subsequently judge useful.

It is expressly understood, moreover, that no part of the proceeds of the tolls levied on sea-going vessels, or of the loans realized by means of the appropriation of these tolls, can be employed

to cover the expenses of works or of administration connected with a section of the river above Isaktcha.

Art. 15.

At the expiration of every term of 5 years and with a view to diminish, if possible, the burdens imposed upon the navigation, Delegates from the Powers that have enacted the abovementioned tariff, shall proceed to a revision of its provisions, and the amount of the toll shall be reduced as much as possible, always, however, maintaining the mean revenue judged necessary.

Art. 16.

The method of collecting the tolls, and the administration of the navigation Cash Office of Sulina shall continue to be governed by the regulations at present in force.

The responsible Agent, charged with the collection, shall be appointed by majority of votes by the European Commission, or by the authority which shall succeed it, and shall act under its immediate orders.

The general control of the transactions of the Cash Office shall be exercised by an Agent whose appointment shall belong to the Ottoman Government.

A detailed balance sheet of the transactions of the Navigation Cash Office shall be published every year in the official journals of the different Powers interested, as well as a statement, making known the distribution and appropriation of the proceeds of the tariff.

Art. 17.

The general administration of the light-houses of the Ottoman Empire having undertaken to provide for the expenses of superintendence,

maintenance, and lighting of the light-houses of the mouths of the Danube, that portion of the whole amount of tax levied, representing the light dues, shall be paid into the hands of the said administration; but it is understood that these dues can have no other object, in what concerns the existing light-houses and those that it may hereafter be judged useful to establish, than to cover their real expenses.

§ 3.

ON QUARANTINE.

Art. 18.

The sanitary measures applicable to the mouths of the Danube shall continue to be regulated by the Superior Board of Health, instituted at Constantinople, and in which the various foreign Missions accredited to the Sublime Porte, are represented by Delegates. These measures shall be framed so as to conciliate in a just degree security for the public health with the requirements of maritime commerce, and they shall be based, as far as possible, on the principles laid down in Articles 19 and 20 hereinafter.

Art. 19.

Vessels descending the Danube shall be free from all sanitary control, it shall be the same for vessels entering the river from the sea as long as there shall be no contagious pestilence prevailing in the East. These vessels shall be simply bound to produce their bill of health to the authorities of the port where they shall anchor.

Art. 20.

If a contagious pestilence happens to break out in the East and if it is judged necessary to put in

force sanitary measures on the Lower Danube; quarantine may be re-established at Sulina; vessels entering from the sea shall be bound in this case to perform quarantine at Sulina, and if the pestilence has not invaded the provinces of Turkey in Europe, they can be subject to no other sanitary control in ascending the river.

But if, on the contrary, the pestilence invades one or many of the Riverain Provinces of the Danube, Quarantine establishments shall be instituted, wherever there shall be need, on the part of the river which traverses the territory of Turkey.

PART III.

Neutrality.

Art. 21.

The works and establishments of all kinds created by the European Commission of the Danube or by the authority which shall succeed it, in execution of Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris, particularly the Navigation Cash Office at Sulina, and those which it may hereafter create, shall enjoy the neutrality stipulated by Article 11 of the said Treaty, and shall be, in case of war, equally respected by all the belligerents.

The benefit of this neutrality shall be extended, with the obligations which spring from it, to the general inspection of the Navigation, to the administration of the Port of Sulina, to the staff of the Navigation Cash Office and Seaman's Hospital, and lastly, to the Technical Staff charged with the superintendence of the works.

Art. 22.

This present Act shall be ratified; each of the high contracting parties will ratify in a single copy, and the ratifications shall be deposited within

the space of two months, or sooner if possible, in the Chancellery of the Imperial Divan at Constantinople.

In faith of which the respective plenipotentiaries have signed it, and set to the seal of their arms.

Done at Galatz, the second day of the month of November of the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

Signed: (L.S.) J. STOKES.
(L.S.) A. DE KREMER.
(L.S.) ED. ENGELHARDT.
(L.S.) STRAMBIO.
(L.S.) SAINT PIERRE.
(L.S.) OFFENBERG.
(L.S.) AHMET RASSIM.

PUBLIC ACT relative to the Navigation of the Mouths of the Danube.

ANNEX A.

Regulation of Navigation and Police applicable to the Lower Danube.

General Provisions.

Art. 1.

The navigation of the Lower Danube below Isakteha is placed under the control of the "Inspector-General of the Navigation of the Lower Danube" and of the Captain of the Port of Sulina.

These two agents both officiate under the superintendence of the European Commission of the Danube: their authority is exercised towards all flags alike without distinction.

Art. 2.

The execution of the regulations, applicable to the Lower Danube, is equally insured by the action of the Vessels of War stationed at the Mouths in accordance with Article 19 of the Treaty of Paris.

Each Naval Force on the station acts upon the vessels of its own country, or upon those whose flag it is called upon to protect, either in virtue ot treaties or usage, or in consequence of a general or special delegation.

In the absence of a Vessel of War qualified to interfere, the authorities charged with the police of the river can have recourse to the Vessels of War of the territorial power.

Art. 3.

The Inspector-General is specially charged with the police of the Lower Danube, exclusive of the Port of Sulina.

He is assisted by several Superintendents distributed over the different sections of the river under his jurisdiction.

Art. 4.

The Captain of the Port of Sulina is charged with the police of the port and of the Roadstead of Sulina.

Art. 5.

The Masters of Merchant Vessels to whatever country they belong, are bound to comply with the orders, which are given to them by virtue of the present regulation, by the Inspector-General, and by the Captain of the Port of Sulina.

They are equally bound to state to them, when called upon to do so, their names, as well as the flags, and names of their vessels, and to show to

them their agreements with their crews, without prejudice to the provisions of Articles 10, 17, and 65 hereinafter contained.

A special instruction emanating from the European Commission of the Danube, regulates particularly the action of these two agents.

Art. 6.

Independently of the judicial functions exercised by them in the cases provided for in Articles 79 and 107 of the present regulation, the Inspector-General and the Captain of the Port of Sulina decide summarily on disputes arising between captains and their crews, calling in the aid of two captains of the same nationality as the contending parties, or, in default of them, of two other captains.

They do not, however, exercise this part of their powers unless their interference is claimed by one of the parties concerned, and then only in the event of there being no other competent authority on the spot.

PART I.

Concerning the Police of the Sulina Roads and Port.

Chapter 1.

Police Regulations for the Sulina Roads.

Art. 7.

The Sulina roadstead comprises the waters of the sea for a radius of two nautical miles round the head of the north pier.

Art. 8.

Every vessel arriving in the Sulina Roads from seaward must hoist her national colours.

Art. 9.

If she remains in the roads to ship or unload cargo, she must nevertheless obey the orders of the Captain of the Port and of his agents in everything relating to the navigation police. She is specially bound to conform to the provisions of the present regulations contained in Part V, and having reference to the lighter service.

Art. 10.

She must anchor at the place pointed out by the Chief Pilot or Deputy Chief Pilot of the Sulina Port. Within twenty-four hours after anchoring, the Captain or his chief officer must report himself at the Port Captain's office, to present his ship's papers.

Art. 11.

Boats belonging to vessels anchored in the roads are forbidden to cross the bar, and to ply in the port during the night, without carrying a lighted lantern.

Chapter 2.

Police Regulations for the Port of Sulina.

Art. 12.

The Port of Sulina comprises the Sulina branch for a space of three nautical miles up the river, starting from the opening of the channel formed by the heads of the piers at the mouth.

Art. 13.

No sailing or steam vessels of more than 60 tons register may cross the bar of Sulina, either entering from the sea or leaving the river, without having on board a pilot licensed by the local authorities.

This clause, however, does not apply to steamers that make periodical voyages, which are permitted to employ their own pilots.

The pilot service is regulated by special provisions under Part IV. of these present regulations.

Art. 14.

No vessel is permitted to enter or leave the Port of Sulina without hoisting the national colours. The port authorities will not allow any vessel without a flag to pass.

Art. 15.

If, owing to stormy weather, the Sulina Bar is judged impracticable by the Captain of the Port, a blue flag is hoisted on the tower of the lighthouse, to show that the pilots are unable to go out to vessels in the roadstead.

Art. 16.

Guard boats are stationed at the two entrances to the Port. Captains entering the Port must anchor in the berths pointed out to them by the officers in charge of these boats.

Art. 17.

Captains must then present themselves within twenty-four hours at the office of the Captain of the Port, to produce there their ship's papers.

They are equally bound, with the exception of the captains of the postal steam packets making regular voyages, to present their papers to the Cashier of the Navigation Cash Office at Sulina, who affixes to the roll of the crew of each vessel entering the Danube waters, of whatever tonnage she may be, a stamp bearing these words : "Commission Européenne du Danube, Caisse de Navigation de Soulina,"—the date of the year, and

her serial number. This stamp is cancelled before the vessel leaves, by another stamp across it.

If vessels do not remain more than twenty-four hours at Sulina, the ship's papers are immediately restored to the captains after the accomplishment of the prescribed formalities; in the contrary case they remain deposited at the office of the Captain of the Port, by whose agency they are transmitted, if required, to the competent consular authority, after payment of the navigation dues, and the payment or deposit of the fines levied in virtue of the present regulation; save and except in this case, the roll of the crew must always remain on board the vessel.

Art. 18.

After having cast anchor, vessels are to moor by cables to the posts fixed for the purpose along the two banks, or to vessels already moored.

Art. 19.

Vessels must take in their booms and jib-booms, which in no case may be used for mooring boats. During the whole period of remaining at anchor, the yards must be braced fore and aft.

Art. 20.

Small coasting vessels, as well as lighters, are forbidden to move about the port during the night. Boats belonging to the port or to merchant vessels, may not ply during the night, without carrying a lighted lantern.

Art. 21.

It is prohibited to heat tar or pitch on board vessels inside the port. Captains are bound to see that no lights whatever are used on board their vessels, other than glass lamps or lanterns.

Chapter 3.

Provisions common to both Roadstead and Port of Sulina.

Art. 22.

Art. 64 of these present regulations, which forbids the throwing out of ballast, except at stated places, has particular reference to the roadstead and port of Sulina, properly so called.

Art. 23.

It is forbidden, without the authority of the Captain of the Port, to remove anchors, chains, and other articles abandoned in the port and roadstead of Sulina.

Art. 24.

In case of a vessel stranding, of shipwreck, as well as in cases of damage, the Captain of the Port of Sulina will immediately give the promptest assistance to save the vessel, her cargo, and gear, and to protect the general interests of the navigation; after which he divests himself of the administration of the salvage, and forwards all the documents drawn up by him to the nearest competent authority.

PART II.

Concerning the River Police.

Chapter 1.

General Regulations.

Art. 25.

Every captain or master of a sailing or steam vessel in the act of navigating or stationary, whether at anchor or moored to the bank, is bound to take care that his vessel causes neither hindrance to the navigation nor damage, whether to other

vessels or to landing jetties, buoys, signals, towing paths, or other establishments placed on the river or its banks for the benefit of the navigation, and he is to attend to the preservation of his own vessel with the same care.

Vessels navigating or stationary in the Sulina branch are bound to carry their anchors suspended freely from the cat-heads, without making them fast to the bulwarks.

Persons charged with conducting floats of wood and rafts are equally bound to take the same precautions as vessels.

These floats and rafts, when they descend the Sulina branch, can only have a draught of water at least one foot less than the depth of water on the shallowest shoal in the said branch.

In no case can they have more than twelve feet draught of water.

Chapter 2.

Regulations for Vessels crossing or passing one another.

Art. 26.

As a general rule, vessels are forbidden to pass one another if going in the same direction, and two vessels sailing in opposite directions may not cross in places where the channel does not afford sufficient breadth.

Art. 27.

No vessel may steer across the course taken by another vessel in such a manner as to impede it in its way.

When a vessel ascending the river finds itself exposed to meeting a vessel descending at a point which does not afford sufficient breadth, she must stop below the passage till the other vessel has cleared it ; and if the ascending vessel should be

actually in the passage as the other approaches it, the descending vessel must cast the anchor which she is bound to carry always in readiness astern, and stop above until the passage is clear.

Art. 28.

In narrow passages steam vessels must not approach closely vessels which precede them.

Art. 29.

When two steam vessels, or two sailing vessels, sailing with a favourable wind meet whilst proceeding in different directions, the one ascending stream must steer towards the left bank, and the vessel descending towards the right bank, so that both go to starboard as is customary at sea.

It is the same when the meeting takes place between a steam vessel, and a sailing vessel navigating with a fair wind.

Any captain or master breaking this regulation will have to prove, in the event of a collision, that it was impossible for him to observe it, in default of which he will be responsible before the competent tribunal for all accidents which may have happened.

He is moreover bound to give the signals prescribed by Arts. 31 and 32 following. If two steam vessels give the same signal simultaneously, the signal of the descending vessel rules.

Art. 30.

When two steam vessels, proceeding in different directions, are approaching a curve in the river, they must give the signals prescribed by Arts. 31 and 32 following, and the ascending vessel must stop until the other has cleared the passage.

Art. 31.

When one steam vessel wishes to pass another going in the same direction it must signal before arriving at a short distance by means of five strokes on the bell or five whistles, and by waving a flag on the forecastle or by hoisting half-mast a blue flag by day or a white light at night.

Upon these signals the vessel in advance is bound to steer to the left and give passage to the other, which will take the right. As soon as the vessel following is half a ship's length from the one she is about to pass, or from the tail of a convoy in tow, the latter must slacken speed until she has been passed.

Art. 32.

A sailing vessel coming up with another of inferior sailing powers, and desirous to pass her, must signal her intention in good time by hailing the vessel in advance, which will be required to let her pass to windward.

A steam vessel wishing to pass a sailing vessel going in the same direction as itself, will be required to give the signals prescribed by Art. 31, within a short distance, and must pass the sailing vessel to leeward.

Art. 33.

Steam vessels going down stream are to slacken speed at the points where the river describes sharp curves, until a clear passage is visible from the stern of the vessel. If any other vessel should be in the bend the steamer must signal its approach by sounding its whistle.

Art. 34.

Every steamer, whether ascending or descending the river, is bound to avoid vessels which it may meet dropping down with the current.

The vessel so dropping down is required on its part, when it meets other vessels whether under sail or steam, to steer parallel to the banks, so as to offer as little obstacle as possible to a free passage.

Art. 35.

Vessels tacking must take care not to get in the way of steamers.

Art. 36.

Captains or masters of vessels heavily laden, or of laden vessels of less than 60 tons register, are required to keep as much as possible out of the way of steamers which may meet or come up with them.

Captains of steamers are bound on their part, when passing near vessels of the kind mentioned in the preceding paragraph, to slacken speed, or stop completely in case of danger to the said vessels if they can do so without danger to themselves or to the vessels they may have in tow.

Art. 37.

In obeying and construing the rules laid down in the preceding Articles 26 to 36 inclusive, due regard must be had to all dangers of navigation, and due regard must also be had to any special circumstances which may exist in any particular case, rendering a departure from the above rules necessary in order to avoid immediate danger.

Chapter 3.

Towage Rules.

Art. 38.

Captains or masters of tugs navigating with or without vessels in tow, are bound to observe all the preceding provisions; they are, moreover,

specially bound to obey the injunctions of Arts. 31, 32, and 33, when one convoy wishes to pass another, the which case excepted, two convoys must never be side by side, either at anchor or navigating in Company.

In the event of meeting sailing vessels or steamers going down stream a tug going up has the option of deviating from the injunctions contained in the above Art. 29, in order to keep out of the current, if she can do so without danger to the vessel she is meeting. The tug is moreover bound, if she avails herself of this permission, to give the signals prescribed by the above Articles 31 and 32.

Art. 39.

As a general rule, any steam vessel not towing a convoy, as well as every vessel sailing with a fair wind, is bound to give passage to a convoy of vessels in tow. In default of sufficient space for doing this, captains and masters, both of tugs and vessels in tow, are bound, even in cases where the signals prescribed by the preceding Arts. 31, 32, and 33, have not been given, to draw aside, agreeably to the provisions of the said Articles, and to arrange in single file the vessels in tow.

Captains and masters of tugs and vessels in tow are, moreover, required in all cases of meeting other vessels to close together as near as possible, so as to leave to the others a sufficiently wide passage.

Paddlewheel steamers, when navigating in the Sulina Channel, must not lash alongside them the vessels they have taken in tow. It is generally forbidden to navigate in the said channel with more than two vessels lashed abreast.

Chapter 4.

Rules relative to Tracking from the Banks.

Art. 40.

The paths that follow both banks of the Danube are specially intended to be used for the tracking of vessels either by men or draught animals ; foot-passengers and carriages can also make use of them.

Art. 41.

The towing-path must be free from all obstacles that can impede its use, such as bushes, trees, enclosures, houses, and other erections.

Art. 42.

The establishment in the river, and especially near the banks, of boat mills, irrigating wheels, and other similar constructions, is forbidden, without a formal permission from the authority in charge of the river police.

Art. 43.

It is expressly forbidden to dig ditches across the towing-path, unless the proprietor of the ground undertakes to bridge over any such obstructions.

Art. 44.

Mooring posts having been fixed along the Sulina, captains and masters must avoid driving stakes or fixing anchors on the towing-paths for the purpose of mooring their vessels.

Art. 45.

If two vessels, tracking in opposite directions, meet at the side of the same bank, the one going up stream must stand out to let the other pass.

If a vessel tracked by draught animals comes

up with one tracked by men, the latter must allow the former to pass.

In the case of a vessel tracked coming up with one moored to the bank, the captain of this latter must allow the sailors belonging to the tracking vessel to come on board to carry over the tracking-rope.

Art. 46.

No attempt is to be made to pass a vessel tracked from the shore, unless it be by steering between her and the bank opposite the one from which she is being tracked. Vessels, when tracked, are bound, on their part, upon the signals prescribed by Articles 31 and 32 preceding, to keep as near as possible to the bank which they are skirting.

CHAPTER 5.

Rules for Navigating at Night, or in a Fog.

Art. 47.

All steam-vessels navigating during the night (between sunset and sunrise), must be furnished with a white light, easily visible at a distance of at least two miles, hoisted at the foremast-head, a green light on the starboard side, and a red light on the port side.

The said green and red lights shall be fitted with in-board screens, so as to prevent these lights from being seen across the bow.

Sailing-vessels under weigh, or being towed, shall carry the same lights as steam-vessels under weigh, with the exception of the white foremast-head light, which they shall never carry. Steam-vessels, when towing other ships, shall carry two bright white mast head lights vertically, in addition to their side lights, so as to distinguish them from other steam-vessels.

In the application of the rules prescribed in this Article, every steam-vessel, which is under sail, and not under steam, is to be considered a sailing-vessel; and every steam-vessel which is under steam, whether under sail or not, is to be considered a vessel under steam.

Rafts navigating during the night must carry a white light at each of their angles, and three white lights at the mast-head, placed one above the other.

Art. 48.

Sailing-vessels, convoys in tow, and rafts, may not navigate when both banks of the river cannot be seen at the same time.

Art. 49.

In a fog, steamers may not navigate except at slackened speed. The bell on board must be struck without intermission, whilst a whistle must be sounded every five minutes. They are bound to drop anchor if the fog becomes so thick that they cannot see the bank they are following, or towards which they are steering.

Art. 50.

Vessels are forbidden to leave their hawsers across the stream during the night, or in foggy weather.

Chapter VI.

Rules for Vessels at Anchor.

Art. 51.

Vessels are expressly forbidden to drop anchor or to moor in the channel of navigation. Except in the case provided for by Article 66 hereinafter,

it is equally forbidden to moor or to anchor vessels in the concave bends of the river, even alongside the banks, under pain of being responsible for all damage that their presence there may occasion.

Outside the ports, two or more vessels may never be anchored or moored abreast of one another alongside the towing path.

Art. 52.

If in consequence of a fog, a vessel or raft is obliged to stop at any other than a regular mooring place, the bell on board must be struck if the vessel is a steamer, if not the fog horn must be used. These signals must be repeated every five minutes.

Art. 53.

Every vessel stopping in the river during the night must be furnished with a lighted lantern, which should be placed either at the end of one of the main yards, or on any other visible part of the vessel, on the side towards the channel, in such a manner that it may be seen equally well both up and down stream.

Rafts stationed at anchor during the night must carry the lights prescribed by the last paragraph of the above Art. 47—except the lights at the two angles next the bank which they are bound to remove.

Art. 54.

When a vessel, for the purpose of mooring, or getting off a bank, as provided for in the following chapter, is obliged to stretch a cable or chain across the channel, these moorings must be promptly slackened the moment another vessel wishes to pass.

Chapter VII.

Rules for cases of Stranding and Shipwreck.

Art. 55.

Every captain or master of a vessel or raft, grounded in the Sulina Channel, is bound to station at a convenient spot, at least half a nautical mile above his vessel, a look-out, charged with hailing vessels and rafts coming down stream, to acquaint them with the nature and place of the accident.

Art. 56.

Steam vessels must go at half-speed only, whilst passing places where a vessel or raft has run aground or foundered.

Art. 57.

Every shipwreck in the Sulina Channel is regarded with suspicion (extraordinary cases excepted), and is presumed until the contrary has been proved, to be owing to negligence or evil intent on the part of the captain or crew of the wrecked vessel.

The pilot of the vessel is personally responsible for the wreck if caused by bad management.

Art. 58.

If, contrary to all probability, a vessel should be wrecked in the Sulina Channel, the captain is bound to use every effort to haul her immediately alongside one of the banks, so that she may not remain in the channel.

The captain of the wrecked vessel and his crew are bound to remain on board, or on the bank near the spot where the accident took place, until

the report mentioned in Art. 59 following has been drawn up.

They are forbidden, under any pretext whatever, to remove any part of the ship's cargo, stores, anchors, chains, cables, &c.

Art. 59.

Immediately after the wreck, the pilot of the vessel must, as promptly as possible, acquaint the Inspector-General with the news, by means of the Superintendents of Police. The Inspector-General will proceed at once to the spot, and will draw up a detailed report of the accident, which he will forward to the competent authority.

Art. 60.

If the Inspector-General judges it necessary to take immediate measures in the interest of the navigation, he will summon for this purpose the captain of the wrecked vessel, who is bound either to declare on the spot, that he abandons his vessel, or to act with his crew under the orders of the Inspector-General : the latter will superintend the salvage up to the point where the work ceases to be of public utility, and has become an affair of private interest.

The vessel whose salvage has been effected by the help of the authorities charged with the river police, is liable for the payment of a sufficient sum to cover the salvage expenses, and the keeping in repair the gear used for such purposes.

Art. 61.

The works undertaken by owners, insurers, and interested parties, with the object of effecting the salvage of wrecked vessels and their cargoes, must be carried out under the superintendence of the Inspector-General or of his agents, and they may

be temporarily suspended if considered to be of a nature likely to cause any hindrance whatever to the navigation.

Art. 62.

If, besides the case of pressing necessity provided for in the above Art. 60, the removal of the carcass or remains of a wrecked vessel is considered necessary, the owners, insurers, or other interested parties, are bound to accomplish it within a month from the time of receiving notice to this effect, in default of which the work may be officially performed by the Inspector-General within the limits determined above in Art. 60. In this case the wrecked vessel with its equipments, or what remains of them, are specially effected to the payment of the expenses of removal.

Art. 63.

In cases of damage, particularly if caused by collision, the Inspector-General, if he is able to prove the facts of the case, and if he is called upon to do so by one of the parties concerned, will draw up a report of the same, which will be forwarded to the competent authority.

Chapter 8.

Rules for the Discharge of Ballast.

Art. 64.

Vessels are strictly forbidden to throw their ballast overboard into the river or on the roadstead of Sulina; they are in like manner forbidden to discharge ballast into the parts of the sea in the neighbourhood of the roadstead in depths of less than ten fathoms.

The landing of ballast above the Port of Sulina,

can only be carried on at the points of the river bank appointed by the Inspector-General of the Navigation, and made known by public notice.

The Captain of the Port of Sulina appoints the places where ballast can be discharged in the Port.

The discharged ballast must in every case be transported to such a distance that the foot of the heap shall be at least twenty English feet from the edge of the proper river bank.

The provisions of this Article are equally applicable to the throwing overboard of the cinders and ashes of steam vessels.

To ensure as far as p ssible the fulfilment of the preceding Article, every vessel leaving the Port of Sulina in ballast, for a Port higher up the river, must be provided with a certificate from the Captain of the Port, stating the draught of water caused by her ballast.

This certificate must be kept on board during the whole voyage up the river, to be produced upon every demand of the Inspector-General, or of his agents.

PART III.

Concerning the Police of the Port of Toultcha.

Art. 66.

Every vessel lying at Toultcha must be moored to the right bank of the river. It is, however, to be understood, that there shall never be more than three vessels moored abreast.

Art. 67.

No vessel may drop anchor in the navigable channel off Toultcha, that is to say, on the right of the bollards, and red buoys fixed along the left bank of the river, nor between the posts on the

right bank, bearing the sign of an anchor reversed.

Art. 68.

Vessels are permitted to haul on the bollards and buoys to help them to double the Toultcha bend, but in no case are they allowed to use them as mooring posts. It is understood that this provision does not apply to steamers making periodical voyages, which stop for a short time only off Toultcha.

It is also forbidden that two or more vessels haul on one buoy at the same time.

PART IV.

Concerning the Pilot Service at the Mouth and in the River.

Chapter I.

Pilot Service at the Mouth.

Art. 69.

Pilotage at the river mouth being compulsory as stated in Art. 13 of the present regulations, a special Corps of licensed and responsible pilots acts at Sulina, under the direction of a Chief Pilot, and of the Captain of the Port. These pilots bear the title of pilots of the first class.

Art. 70.

A boat is held in readiness to take the pilots on board vessels which approach the port from the sea as soon as the look-out on the lighthouse tower signals their arrival.

Pilots are bound to go a mile to seaward of the head of the north pier to meet vessels.

Art. 71.

As soon as a pilot boards a vessel, he must acquaint her captain with the depth of water over the bar channel, and, in return, the latter is bound to state to the pilot the draught of water of his vessel, and the proportion of cargo which she has on board. This proportion is made known without delay by the pilot to the Captain of the Port.

Art. 72.

Every pilot, not belonging to the Sulina Corps, who happens to be on board a vessel prepared to cross the bar, is bound, immediately on the arrival of the local pilot, to give up to him entirely the direction of the ship.

Art. 73.

On leaving the river, the local pilot is bound to conduct the vessel to at least a quarter of a mile to the east of the north pier head.

Art. 74.

The pilot dues, as well for entry into the river as for departure, being comprised in the navigation dues levied at Sulina, it is forbidden to pilots of the first class to receive any remuneration from the captains whose vessels they have piloted.

Chapter 2.

River Pilot Service.

Art. 75.

Independently of the Corps of pilots of the first class charged with Piloting vessels across the Sulina Bar, and acting under the direction of the Captain of the Port, there is a special service of pilots, in like manner licensed and responsible,

bearing the title of pilots of the second class, for merchant vessels navigating the river between Sulina and Ibraïla.

The River Pilot Service, properly so called, is placed under the superintendence of the Inspector-General of the navigation. It is directed by a Chief Pilot, who has three officers at Ibraila, at Galatz, and at Toultcha, and by a Deputy Chief Pilot, resident at Sulina.

Art. 76.

Merchant Captains ascending the river are not bound to take a licensed pilot when they make the voyage themselves on board their vessels, but the Deputy Chief Pilot at Sulina, set over the River Pilot Service, is obliged to procure them one, even in this case, if they require it.

For descending the river, every merchant-vessel of more than 60 tons register, as well as every raft of timber, must take a licensed pilot of the second class.

The same obligation exists for vessels of more than 60 tons register ascending the river without a captain or master on board.

Art. 77.

The up-voyage commences from the time the vessel leaves the Port of Sulina to ascend the river, and terminates with the arrival of the vessel either at its port of destination, or at Ibraïla, when she is bound for a port above this latter, or for Matchin.

The down-voyage commences at Ibraïla, or on leaving the port where the vessel has taken her cargo, or clearance if she goes down empty, in the case where the port is situated below Ibraïla. It terminates when the vessel takes her anchorage in the Port of Sulina.

Vessels sailing from Matchin, from Guetchid, or a port above Ibraïla, must take their pilot when passing Ibraïla; those sailing from the ports of Reni or Ismail, have the option of providing themselves with a pilot when passing Toultcha.

Art. 78.

Captains will arrange with the pilots the sum to be paid the latter for piloting their vessels up the stream. In case of dispute, however, on this point, the Port Authorities will not admit any claim on the part of pilots for a higher rate of wages than half a Dutch ducat a-day for the voyage, in addition to subsistence on board.

The dues for piloting a vessel down stream are comprised in the collection of navigation dues levied at Sulina.

The Chief Pilot of the River Service deducts the sum of four francs from the amount of the due paid by each vessel for pilotage on descending the river; the surplus of the due is paid to the Pilot.

This pilotage due can be lawfully paid only into the hands of the Cashier of the Navigtion Chest, at Sulina.

Chapter 3.

Provisions common to the Pilot Service of both Mouth and River.

Art. 79.

The Inspector-General and the Captain of the Port of Sulina, each within the limits of his jurisdiction, will decide disputes arising between licensed pilots and merchant captains, in the event of their intervention being demanded by the latter.

Art. 80.

Licensed pilots are bound to report either to the Inspector-General or to the Captain of the Port of Sulina, all infractions of the regulations committed in their presence.

They are strictly forbidden to have any interest, either directly or indirectly, in any operation or concern connected with lighters.

Art. 81.

Any pilot who shall, from incompetency or evil intent, be the cause of a collision, of grounding, or of wreck, shall be discharged, without prejudice, however, to the civil action which those interested may bring against him in the proper Courts.

If the circumstances causing the accident are such as to entail criminal proceedings, the pilot will be delivered up to the proper authorities to be tried according to law.

PART V.

The Lighter Service.

Chapter 1.

General Rules.

Art. 82.

The lighters of the Lower Danube are divided into two classes; namely, those whose operations are purely local, whether at the Sulina mouth, or at any shallow passages in the river; and those which devote themselves to the coasting trade, loading at one of the intérior ports, to discharge in the port of Sulina, or on the Roadstead.

Art. 83.

No one can undertake the local lighterage operations without having previously entered at the Port Office of Sulina the vessels intended to act as lighters, and before having been furnished with a license delivered by the Captain of the Port.

Before delivering the license, the Captain of the Port causes the vessel intended for a lighter to be visited by a Commission, which judges whether it is in good condition, and ascertains at the same time its capacity in register tons, and its burden in kilos of Constantinople. This examination is repeated every year.

The license delivered by the Captain of the Port must always be forthcoming on board of the lighter.

Vessels provided with regular ship's papers can be employed occasionally for lightening other vessels upon condition that the captains make for each operation a special declaration, and deposit their papers, the muster-roll of the crew included, either at the Port Office at Sulina, if the vessel to be lightened is at the mouth of the river, or at the Office of the Inspector-General, if the lighterage is to be effected in the river.

Chapter 2.

Local Lighters.

Art. 84.

Lighters (whether sailing or steam vessels) must have no empty space in the hold, except such as is duly recognised by the Captain of the Port at the time of granting the licence.

Art. 85.

Lighters having once gone alongside the vessels they are about to lighten are forbidden to leave the said vessels before the latter have weighed anchor. The captain of a vessel that has been lightened has the option of placing, at his own expense, a guard of his own choosing on board the lighter he employs. Lighters going or to the roadstead are forbidden to take cargo on the upper deck.

Art. 86.

No lighter may leave the Port of Sulina to repair to the roadstead without the permit of the Captain of the Port. This permit must be shown to the guard-boat stationed, in conformity with Art. 16 of these present regulations, at the entrance to the port from the sea.

Art. 87.

As a general rule, lighters must leave the Port of Sulina at the same time as the vessels they have lightened. In the case, however, that a vessel employs several lighters the Captain of the Port will regulate their departure in such a way that they may not have to remain in the Roads too long unable to effect the reloading.

Art. 88.

A lighter that has rejoined in the Roads the vessel she has lightened may not quit her on any pretext whatever until she has restored to her her cargo, except in case of circumstances beyond control. For operations of local lighterage effected in the river-channel the lighters must keep company with the vessels lightened. As soon as the re-shipment of goods has been effected

on board of the lightened vessel her captain is bound to give a written acknowledgment.

Art. 89.

Lighters on re-entering the Port of Sulina after having lightened a vessel must show their permit to the guard-boat which has power to inspect them.

Lighters quitting the Roads at dusk, or during the night, after having lightened a vessel that has left the river, must anchor at a place set apart for this purpose, and they may not further ascend the river till the following day.

Art. 90.

The superintendence of the operations of local lighterage which are carried on at the embouchure is exercised by the Captain of the Port of Sulina: that of the local lighterage in the river belongs to the Inspector-General or his agents.

Chapter 3.

Concerning Coasting Lighters.

Art. 91.

The operations of coasting lighterage may be carried on either by sailing or steam vessels towing schlepps, or by vessels provided with regular papers, on condition that their captains or masters procure for each voyage from the proper consular or local authorities of the ports where they ship their cargoes, a certificate stating the nature and terms of each operation.

Art. 92.

On the arrival of a coasting lighter in the Port of Sulina, the master must report himself at the

Captain of the Port's Office, and present the certificate above mentioned.

If the lighter discharges the whole of her cargo within the port itself, she is required to moor alongside the vessel which is to receive her cargo, and she must not leave the same until she has finished unloading.

If she has had to discharge the whole or part of her cargo in the Roads, the master must hand over the certificate prescribed by Article 91 to the Captain of the Port, who will thereupon give him a permit to pass out.

Art. 93.

The provisions of the present part, concerning local lighters, are equally applicable to those engaged in the coasting trade during their stay in the Port and Roads of Sulina.

Steam transports, however, and schlepps, are subjected in re-entering the port from the Roads, to the inspection mentioned in Article 89 preceding, except on the demand of one of the parties concerned, or in case of suspicion or fraud.

Chapter 4.

Special Provisions for Circumstances beyond Control.

Art. 94.

When a vessel is forced by stress of weather to quit the Roadstead of Sulina leaving all, or part of her cargo on board a lighter, the master of the lighter is bound to return to the port, and temporarily to retain his cargo on board.

Art. 95.

If, in the case provided for in the preceding Article, the lightened vessel does not re-appear in the course of twelve days, the master of the lighter may demand of the Captain of the Port

authority to unload his cargo and deliver it into the hands of the persons having a right to it : he may then exact payment of the freight money agreed upon, as if he had placed the cargo on board the lightened vessel, but without any addition thereto.

If, before the expiration of the above specified period, the vessel returns to the Roads and is again forced to put to sea, the days that had elapsed will not be counted, but a new period will commence, dating from her re-appearance.

Chapter 5.

Special Provisions in Cases of Fraud.

Art. 96.

In case of suspicion of inaccuracy or of false statement of a lighter's burden, merchant captains have the power of seeing the tonnage verified by a special commission named, according to circumstances, by the Captain of the Port of Sulina, or by the Inspector-General of the navigation.

The expense of this survey will be borne by the captain who demanded it, unless inaccuracy or false statement is proved in which case it will be at the charge of the lighter.

Art. 97.

If the captain of a lightened vessel has reason to think that part of his cargo has been embezzled on board the lighter chartered by him, he must make a declara ion to that effect, either to the Captain of the Port of Sulina, or to the Inspector-General of the Navigation, who will thereupon take the measures which their special instructions prescribe to them.

If the suspicion is proved to be unfounded, the costs of the inquiry are to be paid by the captain of the lightened vessel.

PART VI.

On Offences.

CHAPTER I.

Assessment of Fines.

§ 1.

Offences against the Provisions of Part I. for the Police of the Roads and Port of Sulina.

Art. 98.

Every offence against the provisions of the second paragraph of Article 5, and against those of Articles 8, 10, 11, 14, 16, 19, 20, 21, and 23 of the present regulation, is punished with a fine of one ducat at least, and five ducats at most. The captain of every sea-going vessel, except the steamers engaged on postal service, found in the Danube, and whose agreement with his crew does not bear the stamp of which mention is made in Article 17 of the present regulation, or shall only bear one or more annulled stamps, is liable to a fine of ten ducats at least, and of fifty ducats at most.

§ 2.

Offences against the Provisions of Part II. for the River Police.

Art. 99.

Every offence against the provisions of the first or of the second paragraph of Article 25, and against those of Articles 27, 29, 31, 32, 33, 34, 36, 38, 39, 41 to 54 inclusively, 56, 60, and 65, is punished with a fine of three ducats at least, and of ten ducats at most.

Every conductor of a raft or float of timber found navigating the Sulina branch, with a draught of water superior to that prescribed by the third

paragraph of Article 25 hereinbefore enacted, is liable to a fine of ten ducats at least, and of fifty ducats at most.

Every offence against the provisions of Article 64 is equally punished with a fine of ten ducats at least, and of fifty ducats at most, if there has been throwing overboard or prohibited discharge of ballast.

The fine is five ducats for throwing overboard of cinders or ashes in the channel of the Sulina branch, in the roadstead or neighbouring parts of the sea having less than ten fathoms depth.

§ 3.

Offences against the Provisions of Part III. on the Police of the Port of Toultcha.

Art. 100.

Offences against Articles 66, 67, and 68 are punished with a fine of from one to five ducats.

§ 4.

Offences against the Provisions of Part IV. on the Pilot Service.

Art. 101.

Every offence against the provisions of the first paragraph of Article 13, or against the second paragraph of Article 76, is punished with a fine of fifteen ducats at least, and thirty ducats at most.

Every refusal of the declarations prescribed by Article 71, or wilful inaccuracy in these declarations, either on the part of the captains or on the part of the pilots, and every offence against Article 72, are punished with a fine of five ducats at least, and ten ducats at most.

Every offence committed by the licensed pilots of the first or second class, or by the Chief or Deputy Chief Pilots against the provisions of the

present regulations, or the instructions which are given to them, and to which no special penalty is attached, is punishable by a fine of which the maximum cannot exceed thirty ducats.

§ 5.

Offences against the Provisions of Part V. for the Lighter Service.

Art. 102.

Offences against Articles 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, and 94 are punished with a fine of from five to ten ducats.

§ 6.

Abusive Language and Assaults.

Art. 103.

Every instance of abusive language or contempt of the Agents charged with the Police of the Navigation, acting in the performance of their duties, as well as all abusive language or contempt of the authority from which the said Agents hold their power, is punished with a fine of one ducat at least, and of five ducats at most.

If there is an assault upon the person of an Agent of Police, when in the performance of his duty, the maximum of the fine may be raised to thirty ducats.

CHAPTER II.

Rules for the Infliction of Fines.

Art. 104.

The maximum of a fine can be doubled in case of a second offence.

A second offence shall be considered to have been committed by a captain of a sea-going vessel

when the two offences shall have been committed in one voyage; that is, without the vessel having quitted the Danube in the interval.

For masters of lighters and pilots there is a repetition of an offence when it is committed a second time in the space of one year.

Art. 105.

Offences occasioned by circumstances over which the offender has no control are not liable to fines.

Art. 106.

Independently of fines to which they are sentenced, offenders may be prosecuted in the competent Courts for the recovery of the damages to which they are civilly liable.

Art. 107.

Captains are personally responsible for the offences committed by their crews.

Art. 108.

The Inspector-General of the Navigation, and the Captain of the Port of Sulina, take cognizance of the offences committed within the bounds of their several jurisdictions against the provisions of the present regulation, and pronounce in the first instance the infliction of the fines incurred by reason of these offences.

The notification of their sentence is made at Sulina, in the Chancellery of the Consular or Local Authority to which the party sentenced is amenable, if the offence has been committed during the down voyage. It is made to the same authority in the port the vessel is bound to, when the offence has been committed during the voyage

up-stream. It can also be validly made to the person.

Art. 109.

The amount of the fines is appropriated, up to one hundred ducats a-year, to the endowment of the fund of relief established for necessitous pilots; the surplus is paid into the Navigation Chest, to be appropriated to the maintenance of the Sailors' Hospital established at Sulina.

Art. 110.

Appeals against the sentences of conviction must be carried, within three months from the date of notification, either before the European Commission or before the Mixed Tribunal which may eventually be instituted at Sulina.

In case of appeal, the amount of the fine is consigned to the Navigation Chest, and remains there as a deposit until the case has been settled.

The judgment rendered on the appeal is final, and can be the object of no further proceedings whatever.

An appeal will not be received after the expiration of three months from the date of notification; and the amount of the fine then remains forfeited to the Navigation Chest.

Art. 111.

The present regulation will enter in force after the ratification of the Public Act, to which it is annexed, and on a day determined by a special publication made for this purpose, by the European Commission.

The provisional regulation of navigation and police of the 21st November, 1864, will cease to have force of law from the same day forward.

FINAL PROVISION.

Art. 112.

The present regulation annexed to the Public Act, dated this day, may be modified, according to need, by the European Commission or by the authority which shall be substituted for it in virtue of Article 17 of the Treaty of Paris.

Done at Galatz, the second day of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

(Signed) J. STOKES.
A. DE KREMER.
ED. ENGELHARDT.
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PUBLIC ACT relative to the Navigation of the Mouths of the Danube.

ANNEX B.

TARIFF of NAVIGATION DUES to be levied at the Mouth of the Danube.

PREAMBLE.

THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION OF THE DANUBE.

WHEREAS by Art. 16 of the Treaty of Paris of the 30th March, 1856, declaring that the cost of the works to be executed in freeing the mouths of the Danube and of the adjacent portions of the sea from the obstacles which obstruct them, as well as the cost of the establishments intended to secure and to facilitate the navigation, should be paid by means of charges fixed by the Commission;

Whereas a provisional tariff was enacted in consequence on the 25th July, 1860, and a revised tariff on the 7th March, 1863;

Whereas the works undertaken at the mouth of the Sulina are now finished, and that by means of the increased depth which has been obtained, the obstacles to navigation at this point have been removed ;

Whereas the works of improvement and cleansing executed in the course of the river, the erection of a lighthouse at the St. George's mouth, and the improvements introduced with regard to the establishments to which the Treaty refers, as well as the creation of a seaman's hospital at Sulina, to which sick or shipwrecked sailors are admitted free of charge, ensure to the navigation considerable advantages ;

Whereas under these circumstances, and to provide as much for the paying off of the amount spent on the works, as for the cost of their preservation as well as of their eventual development, and of the maintenance of the above mentioned establishments, it is necessary to adopt definitive regulations in the place of the provisional arrangements of the tariff actually in force ;

And whereas experience has shown that there is an advantage to the navigation in merging in one single shipping due, the tolls levied for the improvements and the pilotage and light dues ;

Have enacted the following tariff :—

Art. 1.

Every sailing vessel measuring more than 30 tons, quitting the Port of Sulina to go to sea, and which may have completed, according to her manifest, more than one third of her full lading, will pay per ton measurement a fixed navigation due, of which the amount will be determined hereafter according to the total tonnage of the vessel, and to the depth of the channel at the mouth of the Sulina branch.

VESSELS which shall have ascended the river to take cargo at an inland port, will pay the duties specified in the following Table :—

Vessels.	Amount of Duty per Ton according to Depth of Water at Mouth.													
	less than 10 feet.		of 10 feet and not more than 11 feet.		of more than 11 feet to 12 feet.		of more than 12 feet to 13 feet.		of more than 13 feet to 14 feet.		of more than 14 feet to 15 feet.		of more than 15 feet.	
	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.
Of more than 30 and less than 100 tons ...	0	80	0	80	0	80	0	80	0	80	0	80	0	80
100 to 150 tons	1	05	1	55	2	05	2	05	2	05	2	05	2	05

More than 150 and not exceeding 200 tons	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 55	2 55	2 55	2 55
More than 200 and not exceeding 250 tons	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 55	2 80	2 80	2 80
More than 250 and not exceeding 300 tons	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 55	2 80	3 05	3 05
More than 300 tons	1 05	1 55	2 05	2 55	2 80	3 05	3 30

VESSELS which load their cargo in the Port of Sulina without ascending the river beyond the said port, will pay only the following dues :—

Vessels.	Amount of Duty per Ton according to Depth of Water at Mouth.													
	less than 10 feet.		of 10 feet and not more than 11 feet.		of more than 11 feet to 12 feet.		of more than 12 feet to 13 feet.		of more than 13 feet to 14 feet.		of more than 14 feet to 15 feet.		of more than 15 feet.	
	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.	f.	c.
Of more than 30 and less than 100 tons ...	0	50	0	50	0	50	0	50	0	50	0	50	0	50
100 to 150 tons	0	90	1	30	1	80	1	80	1	80	1	80	1	80
More than 150 and not exceeding 200 tons	0	90	1	30	1	80	2	15	2	15	2	15	2	15

More than 200 and not exceeding 250 tons	0	90	1	30	1	80	2	15	2	35	2	35	2	35
More than 250 and not exceeding 300 tons	0	90	1	30	1	80	2	15	2	35	2	55	2	55
More than 300 tons	0	90	1	30	1	80	2	15	2	35	2	55	2	80
Vessels of 300 tons or more which, in consequence of want of sufficient depth of water, cannot receive their entire cargo in port	0	90	1	30	1	50	1	70	1	80	1	90	2	00

Art. 2.

Steamboats belonging to a public company specially engaged in the conveyance of passengers and making periodical voyages according to previous announcement, will pay, on leaving the river, a fixed duty of 60 centimes per ton measurement, whether wholly or partly laden.

This duty will be calculated on the net tonnage of the boat, as may be indicated by the ship's papers, that is to say, after deduction of the weight of machinery and fuel has been made from the total tonnage.

If the tonnage of the machinery is not indicated in the ship's papers, a deduction of 37 per cent. will be made on the total tonnage for paddle-wheel ships, and of 32 per cent. for screw vessels; the deduction will be made after the conversion of the tonnage of the vessel into English tons, effected in conformity with the regulations of Article 14 hereafter.

These vessels will be free from all duty on entering the river.

Art. 3.

All commercial steam-vessels, other than those specified in the preceding Article will be subject to the same dues as sailing vessels, except the amount deducted for machinery and fuel, which will be effected on their total tonnage upon the basis determined by the preceding Article.

The amount of the fixed duty that such vessels will have to pay per ton measurement, will be determined conformably to the foregoing table according as they shall, or shall not, have ascended the river above the port of Sulina, and after the deduction accorded to them by the first paragraph of the present Article.

Steam vessels not included in the category

determined by Art. 2, above, and which shall make the voyage of the Danube, going and returning included, more than twice in the same year, will enjoy a reduction of 40 per cent. on the amount of the duties charged on entry and clearance, for each of the eight voyages, which they may perform after the two first, before the end of the year, and if the number of annual voyages should exceed ten, the reduction shall be 60 per cent. for each voyage after the tenth during the year.

The number of voyages such vessels may have performed, entering and clearing with less than one third of their cargo, will not be reckoned in the number of voyages necessary to obtain the advantage of the above reduction of dues.

Art. 4.

Sailing vessels and commercial steam vessels besides those specified in Art. 2 which may enter the Port of Sulina from the sea, and which shall have according to their manifest more than one third cargo, will pay for entering in the river the fourth part of the tax imposed for clearance by Arts. 1 and 3 above.

The duty on entry will only be paid by vessels at the moment when they leave the river.

The said vessels will pay on entry the integral amount of the tax fixed by Arts. 1 and 3, if they leave the river with less than one third of their cargo.

Art. 5.

Lighters chartered for the passage of the mouth of the Sulina by vessels which have paid the duties established by the preceding Articles will

pay for each passage performed with a complete or partial lading, only the following amount: —

Lighters of a burden of from 10 to 50 tons, 6 francs.

Those of a burden of more than 50 tons and not exceeding 100 tons, 8 francs.

And those of more than 100 tons burden, 12 francs.

Art. 6.

Vessels which remain anchored in the Road of Sulina to load or discharge by means of lighters the whole or part of their cargo will not be subjected to the dues established by Arts. 1, 3, or 4, above; they will pay only a uniform tax of 100 francs for each vessel, to contribute to the expenses of the establishments by which they profit.

Such of the said vessels as may enter the port without performing any operation of commerce which may be of a nature to subject them to the dues established by Arts. 1, 3, or 4 above, will pay in addition to the above duty of 100 francs authorized by the preceding paragraph, 50 centimes per ton for lighthouse and pilotage duty. This duty will be levied only once, on the vessels leaving port.

Lighters chartered to transport across the mouth the cargoes of vessels which shall have paid no other dues than those established by the present Article, must pay for each passage across the mouth, with an entire or partial lading, a fixed due of 1 franc per ton on the total tonnage.

The lighters employed in discharging ballast will be exempt from all dues.

The duties of 50 centimes and 1 franc per ton respectively imposed by the present Article on sea-going vessels and lighters will be calculated for

steam-boats on the net tonnage, in conformity with the rules established by Article 2.

Art. 7.

Rafts and floats, of which the dimensions do not exceed 100 English feet in length by 40 feet in width, and which have been towed in descending the arm of the Sulina, will have to pay, on leaving the mouth, a fixed duty of 100 francs.

The duty will be 300 francs for every raft and float which shall not have been towed in going down the arm of the Sulina, as well as for those of which the dimensions exceed 100 feet English in length or 40 feet in width.

Art. 8.

Vessels of war are exempt from all dues either on entering or clearing the Sulina mouth.

The same exemption applies to tug steamers when they are not employed as lighters in conveying portions of the cargo of the vessels tugged.

Art. 9.

Vessels of more than sixty tons which enter the Port of Sulina, and clear again with less than a third of their cargo, and which are in consequence exempted from the dues established by the preceding Arts. 1, 3, and 4, shall pay, on clearance, a tax of fifty centimes per ton for lighthouse and pilotage dues.

The same tax shall be paid by sea-going vessels serving occasionally as lighters, and this shall be over and above the duty of 1 franc per ton imposed by paragraph 3 of Article 6 above.

Sea-going vessels or lighters which put into Sulina from stress of weather, and those which, by

reason of casualties, are obliged to take refuge in the port, and are unable to continue their voyage, shall be free of all duty, provided they go to sea again without engaging in any commercial operation.

Art. 10.

Both sailing and steam-vessels, without exception, coming from sea with more than a third of their lading, and entering the Port of Sulina to discharge a portion of their cargo, and which set sail again to continue their voyage to another port, shall pay, per ton measurement, a fixed duty of 2 francs, when the depth of the mouth exceeds 15 English feet; but if the depth is 15 feet only or under, this fixed duty shall decrease in the proportion established by Article 1 of the present tariff for those vessels of more than 300 tons, which do not ascend the river, and which, from the insufficiency of water in the Sulina entry, are not able to receive their entire cargo, in the port.

This fixed duty shall be levied upon a third of the taxable tonnage, if the quantity of merchandise unloaded at Sulina does not exceed a third of the total and taxable capacity of the vessel, but it shall be levied on two-thirds of the tonnage, if the quantity unloaded is more than one-third, and does not exceed two-thirds of such capacity.

Should it exceed two-thirds, the duties shall be leviable in accordance with the foregoing Arts. 1 and 3.

If the vessel which has discharged at Sulina, in the case foreseen by the present Article, less than two-thirds of its cargo, should receive merchandize in that port, it shall pay, over and above the tax leviable on account of the discharge, one-quarter of this tax, which shall be levied on a

third or two-thirds of its taxable tonnage, according as the quantity of merchandize received is confined within a third or two-thirds of the vessel's capacity.

Art. 11.

The duties fixed by the preceding Articles shall include :—

The tax imposed upon vessels to cover the expenses of works and other improvements effected by the European Commission ;

The duties actually in force for the maintenance of the lighthouses constituting the lighthouse system of the mouths of the Danube ; and

The duties destined to cover the expenses occasioned by the pilotage service in the Sulina entrance, and those of the other establishments instituted with the view of facilitating the navigation.

Independently of these duties, vessels shall not be subjected to any other tax or charge, excepting the fees of the river pilots, which they shall pay for the descent, in conformity with the Article following.

Article 12.

Sailing vessels of more than sixty tons measurement, which shall have ascended the river above the Port of Sulina, as well as rafts or floats of timber, shall pay, on leaving the river, for the obligatory pilotage of the descent, a tax regulated as follows :—

For the passage from Galatz, or from a port situated above this point, to Sulina, one hundred and twenty francs ;

For the passage from Réni or Ismaïl to Sulina, one hundred francs ;

And for the passage from Toultcha to Sulina, seventy-two francs.

This tax shall be reduced to half for steam-vessels.

The steam-vessels mentioned in the foregoing Article 2, may be exempted from this tax, provided that the pilot on board holds a certificate as pilot of the second class.

As regards pilotage for ascending the river, which is purely optional, the fee of the pilot can be fixed by arrangement, and it is paid to him direct by the captain of the vessel piloted.

Art. 13.

The amount of the duties shall be paid over to the Accountant charged with the administration of the Navigation Cash Office of the Port of Sulina, who will deliver a receipt for the same.

A table showing the reduction into francs of the monies in use upon the Lower Danube, shall always be posted up in the office of collection.

This table shall be periodically revised.

In cases where the liability to duty is contested, or payment questioned, by the parties, the amount of duty shall be paid over to the Navigation Cash Office, as a deposit.

Demands for entire or partial restitution of the duties paid shall be carried before the European Commission, or before the International Authority which shall succeed it. They should be stated in writing within three months of the payment, or of the deposit, under pain of forfeiture.

Art. 14.

The term ton measurement shall be understood to mean the registered ton English.

The tonnage of vessels shall be taken from the ship's papers.

The reduction of the tons of different countries, into English measure, shall be made according to the table annexed to the present tariff.

Art. 15.

Vessels entering the Danube without papers showing their tonnage shall be subjected, with the sole view of fixing the navigation dues to which they are liable conformably to the present tariff, to an approximative valuation to be made by two experts, under the direction of the Captain of the Port, and with the concurrence of the competent consular authority. The Accountant of the Navigation Cash Office shall have the option of assisting at the operation, either in person or by means of a delegate.

The same shall take place if the tonnage borne upon the ship's papers is notably incorrect, or if disputes arise with respect to the valuation of the portion of the cargo of a vessel in the case of the foregoing Arts. 1 and 4.

The estimate of the tonnage, in default of ship's papers shall be made at the expense of the vessel concerned. The same shall take place if the experts, declare an excess of more than five tons over the capacity indicated by the ship's papers ; or if it is decided contrary to the declaration of the Captain or Master that the vessel carries more than a third of her full cargo, in the contrary case the expenses will be charged to the Navigation Chest. In no case can these estimate give rise to any appeal or application whatever.

Art. 16.

The depths by which the duties established by the present tariff shall be determined, shall be taken on the Bar of Sulina, in English feet.

The soundings shall be made under the direction and responsibility of the Engineer charged with the improvements at the mouth, the results shall be posted up at the Navigation Cash Office and at the office of the Captain of the Port.

If the state of the sea does not permit of such soundings, the amount of duties to be levied shall be based on the last depth taken.

No supplementary payment for clearance dues can be exacted from vessels, nor, except in cases of duly proved errors in the soundings, shall any partial restitution from the Navigation Chest be required on account of the difference, however great it may be, between the depth of the mouth at the moment of the clearance of the vessel and that which shall have served as a basis for the settlement of the taxes paid.

Art. 17.

Every vessel, raft, or float which shall attempt, by any means whatever, to evade, wholly or partly, payment of the duties fixed by the present tariff, shall be liable in addition to the duties which it is required to pay in conformity with what precedes, to a fine equal to four times the amount.

If the tonnage indicated upon the ship's papers, or the declaration relative to the quantity of merchandise loaded or unloaded at Sulina, according to the foregoing Art. 10, appears to be false, verification of the vessel's capacity, or of the quantity of merchandise compared with the total

tonnage, can be resorted to in the manner prescribed by the foregoing Art. 15.

The application of the fine shall be pronounced in the first instance by the Captain of the Port of Sulina; the sentence of condemnation shall be notified to the condemned party, either in person or in the office of the Consular or Local Authority resident at Sulina, having charge of the interests of the nation to which he may belong.

The appeal against condemnations must be carried before the European Commission, or before the International Authority which shall succeed to it.

Appeal must be made within the three months of the notification, under pain of becoming null.

The forms of procedure shall be ultimately determined by special regulations. Judgments rendered upon appeals shall not be susceptible of any further redress.

The penalties pronounced by the Captain of the Port shall have effect, notwithstanding the appeal; in case of petition the amount of the fine shall be consigned as a deposit to the Navigation Cash Office.

The amount of the fines, when finally adjudged, shall be paid into the said Cash Office, to be applied towards defraying the expenses of the Seaman's Hospital.

Art. 18.

The Commanders of ships of war stationed at the mouths of the Danube, conformably to Art. 19 of the Treaty of Paris, shall be called upon to assure the payment of the duties established by the present tariff, and of the penalties when definitely settled, with respect to vessels of their own nationality, and to those whose flags

they protect, either by treaty or custom, or in virtue of a special or general delegation.

The action of the ships of war shall be demanded *en règle* through the Captain of the Port of Sulina upon the requisition of the Accountant charged with the administration of the Navigation Cash Office.

In default of a ship of war having power to coerce an offending vessel, the Captain of the Port shall have recourse to the intervention of the Ottoman man-of-war stationed at Sulina.

Art. 19.

The Provisional Tariff of the 7th March, 1863, shall cease to be applied, and the present tariff shall come into force after the ratification of the Public Act to which it is annexed, and upon the date to be hereafter fixed by a special notification of the European Commission to that effect.

Done at Galatz, the second of November, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-five.

(Signed) J. STOKES.
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TABLE shewing the proportion between the ton register English and the measures adopted in other countries for gauging vessels.

Vessels.	Factor by which the unit of measure of each country should be multiplied.	
	Tons.	Lasts.
Austria	0.82	...
France	1.00	...
Italy	0.89	...
Turkey	...	...*
Prussia	0.98	1.50
Russia	1.08	1.89
America (United States)	1.00	...
Belgium	0.95	1.81
Bremen	...	1.89
Denmark	1.02	1.96
Spain	1.00	...
Greece	0.76	...
Hamburg	...	2·77
Hanover	0.98	2.25
Holland	0.89	1.75
Lubeck	...	1.89
Mecklenburg	1.09	2.44
Norway	0.98	2.08
Oldenburg	0.96	1.50
United Principalities ...	1.00	...†
Sweden	1.02	1.98

* 1 English ton equal to $61\frac{53}{100}$ kilos of Constantinople.

† 1 English ton equal to $\begin{cases} 4\frac{82}{100} \text{ kilos of Galatz.} \\ 3\frac{1}{100} \text{ ,, of Braïla.} \end{cases}$

Galatz, the 2nd November, 1865.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 3, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a notification to the effect that a quarantine of eleven days has been imposed by the Greek Government upon all arrivals from Great Britain in Greek ports.

Admiralty, 13*th August*, 1866.

The Reverend William Robert MacIlwaine, B.A., has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

MEMORANDUM.

5*th Royal Lancashire Regiment of Militia.*

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Erwin Harvey Wadge. Dated 22nd August, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 7, 1866.

War Office, September 7, 1866.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Major James Augustus Grant, of the Bengal Army, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Downing Street, September 6, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Victor Esnouf, Esq., to be Master of the Supreme Court of the Island of Mauritius.

Whitehall, August 27, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Edmund Lionel Wells, of Shrubs Hill, in the parish of Sunningdale, in the county of Berks, Esquire, and of the Middle Temple, London, Barrister-at-Law, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take the surname of Dymoke, in addition to and after that of Wells, and that he and they may bear the arms of Dymoke, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

Treasury Chambers, September 4, 1866.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to appoint Alexander James Beresford Beresford-Hope, Esq., M.P., and Sir Coutts Lindsay, Bart., to be Trustees of the National Portrait Gallery.

(E. 405.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 5, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade hereby give

notice, that in pursuance of the provisions of the Act 29 and 30 Vic., c. 82, the duties relating to Standard Weights and Measures have been transferred from Her Majesty's Exchequer to the Board of Trade.

Their Lordships further give notice, that the Standard Weights and Measures Department of the Board of Trade has been established at No. 6, Old Palace-yard, Westminster, under the direction of a chief officer, the Warden of the Standards, to whom all communications on the subject of Standard Weights and Measures should be addressed.

(1429.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 5, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received. from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, enclosing a translation of a recent Royal Spanish Order, fixing the import duty on oxide of soda, as follows :—

		Escudos.	Milesimas.
By national vessels	per 100 kilos.	3	200
By foreign do.	per 100 kilos.	3	700

Admiralty, 6th September, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Lieutenant-General Henry Ivart Delacombe to be General, vice General Sir Charles Menzies, K.C.B., K.H., deceased. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Major-General and Inspector-General Anthony Blaxland Stransham to be Lieutenant-General, vice Delacombe. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Colonel Commandant John Hawkins Gascoigne, C.B., to be Major-General, vice Stransham. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Colonel and Second Commandant Samuel Netterville Lowder to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Gascoigne. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Lieutenant Colonel William Francis Foote to be Colonel and Second Commandant, vice Lowder. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Edward Andrée Wylde to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Foote. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

First Lieutenant Alfred Henry Pascoe to be Captain, vice Wylde. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Second Lieutenant Christopher Sulivan Feltrim Fagan to be First Lieutenant, vice Pascoe. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Admiralty, 5th September, 1866.

Sub-Lieutenant Adolphus Augustus Frederick FitzGeorge to be Lieutenant, confirming a Commission given by Vice-Admiral Lord Clarence Edward Paget, C.B , Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the Mediterranean Station, in a vacancy caused by the death of Lieutenant Hovenden, with seniority from the 12th of August, 1866.

Mr. James Parry has this day been promoted to the rank of First Class Assistant Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 20th August, 1866.

Admiralty, 6th September, 1866.

Retired Commander Henry Laird Cox has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Captain, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders

in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866, with seniority from the 4th instant.

(1405.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 6, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister in Japan, forwarding the following copy of a Commercial Convention and a Revised Tariff, signed at Jedo on the 25th of June last, between the Government of Japan and the Representatives of the Governments of Great Britain, France, Holland, and the United States of America :—

CONVENTION.

The Representatives of Great Britain, France, the United States of America and Holland, having received from their respective Governments identical instructions for the modification of the Tariff of Import and Export Duties contained in the Trade Regulations annexed to the Treaties concluded by the aforesaid Powers with the Japanese Government in 1858, which modification is provided for by the VIIth of those Regulations :—

And the Japanese Government having given the said Representatives, during their visit to Osaka in November, 1865, a written engagement to proceed immediately to the revision of the Tariff in question, on the general basis of a duty of five per cent. on the value of all articles imported or exported :—

And the Government of Japan being desirous of affording a fresh proof of their wish to promote

trade and to cement the friendly relations which exist between their country and foreign nations :—

His Excellency Midzuno Idzumi no Kami, a Member of the Gorojiu and a Minister of Foreign Affairs has been furnished by the Government of Japan with the necessary powers to conclude with the Representatives of the above-named four Powers, that is to say :—

Of Great Britain, Sir Harry S. Parkes, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Her Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Japan ;

Of France, Monsieur Leon Roches, Commander of the Imperial Order of the Legion of Honour Minister Plenipotentiary of His Majesty the Emperor of the French in Japan ;

Of the United States of America, A. L. C. Portman, Esquire, Chargé d'Affaires ad interim ;

And of Holland, Monsieur Dirk de Graeff van Polsbroek, Knight of the Order of the Netherlands Lion, Political Agent and Consul-General of His Majesty the King of the Netherlands ;

The following Convention comprising Twelve Articles : •

Article I.

The Contracting Parties declare in the names of their respective Governments that they accept, and they hereby do formally accept as binding upon the subjects of their respective Sovereigns, and the citizens of their respective countries, the Tariff hereby established and annexed to the present Convention.

This Tariff is substituted not only for the original Tariff attached to the Treaties concluded with the above-named four Powers, but also for the special Conventions and arrangements relative to the same Tariff, which have been entered into

at different dates up to this time between the Governments of Great Britain. France, and the United States on one side, and the Japanese Government on the other.

The New Tariff shall come into effect in the Port of Kanagawa (Yokohama) on the first day of July next, and in the ports of Nagasaki, and Hakodate on the first day of the following month.

Article II.

The Tariff attached to this Convention being incorporated from the date of its signature in the Treaties concluded between Japan and the above-named four Powers, is subject to revision on the first day of July, 1872.

Two years, however, after the signing of the present Convention, any of the Contracting Parties, on giving six months notice to the others, may claim a re-adjustment of the duties of Tea and Silk on the basis of five per cent. on the average value of these articles, during the three years last preceding. On the demand also of any of the Contracting parties, the duty on timber may be changed from an *ad valorem* to a specific rate six months after the signature of this Convention.

Article III.

The Permit-fee hitherto levied under the VIth Regulation attached to the above-named Treaties, is hereby abolished. Permits for the landing or shipment of cargo will be required as formerly, but will hereafter be issued free of charge.

Article IV.

On and from the first day of July next, at the Port of Kanagawa (Yokohama), and on and from the first day of October next, at the Ports of Nagasaki and Hakodate, the Japanese Govern-

ment will be prepared to warehouse imported goods on the application of the importer or owner without payment of duty. The Japanese Government will be responsible for the safe custody of the goods, so long as they remain in their charge, and will adopt all the precautions necessary to render them insurable against fire. When the importer or owner wishes to remove the goods from the warehouse, he must pay the duties fixed by the Tariff, but if he should wish to re-export them, he may do so without payment of duty. Storage charges will in either case be paid on delivery of the goods. The amount of these charges, together with the regulations necessary for the management of the said warehouses, will be established by the common consent of the Contracting Parties.

Article V.

All articles of Japanese production may be conveyed from any place in Japan to any of the Ports open to foreign trade free of any tax or transit duty other than the usual tolls levied equally on all traffic for the maintenance of roads or navigation.

Article VI

In conformity with those Articles of the Treaties concluded between Japan and foreign Powers which stipulate for the circulation of foreign coin at its corresponding weight in native coin of the same description, dollars have hitherto been received at the Japanese Custom-house in payment of duties at their weight in Boos (commonly called Ichiboos), that is to say, at a rate of three hundred and eleven Boos per hundred dollars. The Japanese Government being, however, desirous to alter this practice, and to abstain from all interference in the exchange of native for foreign coin and being also anxious to

meet the wants both of native and foreign commerce by securing an adequate issue of native coin, have already determined to enlarge the Japanese Mint, so as to admit of the Japanese Government exchanging into native coin of the same intrinsic value, less only the cost of coinage, at the places named for this purpose, all foreign coin or bullion in gold or silver that may at any time be tendered to them by foreigners or Japanese. It being essential, however, to the execution of this measure, that the various Powers with whom Japan has concluded Treaties should first consent to modify the stipulations in those Treaties which relate to the currency, the Japanese Government will at once propose to those Powers the adoption of the necessary modification in the said stipulations, and on receiving their concurrence will be prepared, from the first of January, 1868, to carry the above measure into effect.

The rates to be charged as the cost of coinage shall be determined hereafter by the common consent of the Contracting Parties.

Article VII.

In order to put a stop to certain abuses and inconveniences complained of at the open ports, relative to the transaction of business at the Custom-house, the landing and shipping of cargoes, and the hiring of boats, coolies, servants, &c., the Contracting Parties have agreed that the Governor at each open port shall at once enter into negotiations with the foreign Consuls, with a view to the establishment, by mutual consent, of such regulations as shall effectually put an end to these abuses and inconveniences, and afford all possible facility and security both to the operations of trade and to the transactions of individuals.

It is hereby stipulated that, in order to protect

merchandize from exposure to weather, these regulations shall include the covering in at each port of one or more of the landing places used by foreigners for landing or shipping cargo.

Article VIII.

Any Japanese subject shall be free to purchase, either in the open ports of Japan or abroad, every description of sailing or steam vessel intended to carry either passengers or cargo; but ships of war may only be obtained under the authorization of the Japanese Government.

All foreign vessels purchased by Japanese subjects shall be registered as Japanese vessels on payment of a fixed duty of three Boos per ton for steamers, and one Boo per ton for sailing vessels. The tonnage of each vessel shall be proved by the foreign register of the ship, which shall be exhibited through the Consul of the party interested on the demand of the Japanese authorities, and shall be certified by the Consul as authentic.

Article IX.

In conformity with the Treaties concluded between Japan and the aforesaid Powers, and with the special arrangements made by the Envoys of the Japanese Government in their note to the British Government of the 6th of June, 1862, and in their note to the French Government of the 6th of October of the same year, all the restrictions on trade and intercourse between foreigners and Japanese alluded to in the said notes have been entirely removed, and proclamations to this effect have already been published by the Government of Japan.

The latter, however, do not hesitate to declare that Japanese merchants and traders of all classes are at liberty to trade directly, and without the interference of Government officers, with foreign

merchants, not only at the open ports of Japan, but also in all foreign countries, on being authorized to leave their country in the manner provided for in Article X. of the present Convention, without being subject to higher taxation by the Japanese Government than that levied on the native trading classes of Japan in their ordinary transactions with each other.

And they further declare that all Daimios, or persons in the employ of Daimios, are free to visit on the same condition, any foreign country, as well as all the open ports of Japan, and to trade there with foreigners as they please, without the interference of any Japanese officer, provided always they submit to the existing police regulations and to the payment of the established duties.

Article X.

All Japanese subjects may ship goods to or from any open port in Japan, or to and from the ports of any foreign power, either in vessels owned by Japanese, or in the vessels of any nation having a Treaty with Japan. Furthermore, on being provided with passports through the proper department of the Government, in the manner specified in the proclamation of the Japanese Government dated the 23rd day of May, 1866, all Japanese subjects may travel to any foreign country for purposes of study or trade. They may also accept employment in any capacity on board the vessels of any nation having a Treaty with Japan.

Japanese in the employ of foreigners may obtan Government passports to go abroad, on application to the Governor of any open port.

Article XI.

The Government of Japan will provide all the ports open to foreign trade with such lights,

buoys, or beacons, as may be necessary to render secure the navigation of the approaches to the said ports.

Article XII.

The undersigned being of opinion that it is unnecessary that this convention should be submitted to their respective Governments, for pacification, before it comes into operation, it will take effect on and from the first day of July, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

Each of the Contracting Parties having obtained the approval of his Government to this convention shall make known the same to the others, and the communication in writing of this approval shall take the place of a formal exchange of ratifications.

In witness whereof the above-named Plenipotentiaries have signed the present convention, and have affixed their seals thereto.

Done at Yeddo in the English, French, Dutch, and Japanese languages, this twenty-fifth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

(L.S.) HARRY S. PARKES,
Her Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Japan.

(L.S.) LEON ROCHES,
Ministre Plénipotentiaire de S. M. L'Empereur des Français, au Japon.

(L.S.) A. L. C. PORTMAN,
Chargé d'Affaires a. i. of the United States, in Japan.

(L.S.) D. de Graeff van POLSBROEK,
Politiek Agent en Consul Generaal der Nederlanden, in Japan

(L.S.) MIDZUNO IDZUMI no KAMI,

IMPORT TARIFF.

Class I.—Specific Duties.

No.	Article.	Duty.		
		Per.	Boos.	Cts.
1	Alum	100 catties	0	15
2	Betel nut	,,	0	45
3	Brass buttons	gross	0	22
4	Candles	100 catties	2	25
5	Canvas and cotton duck	10 yards	0	25
6	Cigars	catty	0	25
7	Cloves and mother cloves	100 catties	1	0
8	Cochineal	,,	21	0
9	Cordage	,,	1	25
10	Cotton, raw	,,	1	25

Cotton Manufactures.

11	Shirtings, grey, white, and twilled, white spotted or figured, drills and jeans, white brocades, T-cloths, cambrics, muslins, lawns, dimities, quiltings, cottonets; all the above goods dyed, printed cottons, chintzes, and furnitures :—			
	A. not exceeding 34 inches wide	10 yards	0	$7\frac{1}{2}$
	B. ,, 40 ,, ...	,,	0	$8\frac{3}{4}$
	C. ,, 46 ,, ...	,,	0	10
	D. exceeding 46 ,, ...	,,	0	$11\frac{1}{4}$
12	Taffachelass, not exceeding 31 inches	,,	0	$17\frac{1}{2}$
	exceeding 31 inches, and not exceeding 43 inches	,,	0	25
13	Fustians, as cotton velvets, velveteens, satins, sattinets, and cotton damask, not exceeding 40 inches	,,	0	20
14	Ginghams, not exceeding 31 inches	,,	0	6
	,, not exceeding 43 ,, ...	,,	0	9
15	Handkerchiefs	dozen	0	5
16	Singlets and drawers...	,,	0	30
17	Table cloths	each	0	6
18	Cotton thread, plain or dyed in reel or ball	100 catties	7	50

No.	Article.	Duty.		
		Per.	Boos.	Cts.
19	Cotton yarn, plain or dyed	100 catties	5	0
20	Cutch	...	0	75
21	Feathers (kingfisher, peacock, &c.)	100	1	50
22	Flints	100 catties	0	12
23	Gambier	,,	0	45
24	Gamboge	,,	3	75
25	Glass, window	box of 100 square feet	0	35
26	Glue	100 catties	0	60
27	Gum Benjamin and oil of do.	,,	2	40
28	,, dragons' blood, myrrh, olibanum	,,	1	80
29	Gypsum	,,	0	8
30	Hides—buffalo and cow	,,	1	20
31	Horns—buffalo and deer	,,	1	5
32	,, rhinoceros	,,	3	50
33	Hoofs	,,	0	30

34	Indigo, liquid	,,	0	75
35	,, dry	,,	3	75
36	Ivory—elephants' teeth, all qualities	,,	15	0
37	Paint—as red, white, and yellow lead (minium, ceruse, and massicot),—and paint oils	,,	1	50
38	Leather	,,	2	0
39	Linen, all qualities	10 yards	0	20
40	Mangrove bark	100 catties	0	15
41	Matting, floor	roll of 40 yds.	0	75
	METALS.			
42	Copper and brass in slabs, sheets, rods, nails	100 catties	3	50
43	Yellow metal, muntz metal, sheathing, and nails ...	,,	2	50
44	Iron, manufactured, as in rods, bars, nails, &c. ...	,,	0	30
45	,, ,, pigs	,,	0	15
46	,, ,, kentledge	,,	0	6
47	,, ,, wire	,,	0	80
48	Lead, pigs	,,	0	80
49	,, sheet	,,	1	0
50	Spelter and zinc	,,	0	60

No.	Article.	Duty.		
		Per.	Boos.	Cts.
51	Steel	100 catties	0	60
52	Tin	,,	3	0
53	Tin plates	box of not exceeding 90 cat.	0	70
54	Oil cloth for flooring...	10 yards	0	30
55	,, or leather cloth for furniture	,,	0	15
56	Pepper, black and white	100 catties	1	0
57	Putchuk	,,	2	25
58	Quicksilver	,,	6	0
59	Quinine	catty	1	50
60	Rattans	100 catties	0	45
61	Rhubarb...	,,	1	0
62	Salt fish	,,	0	75
63	Sandal wood	,,	1	25
64	Sapan wood	,,	0	40
65	Sea horse teeth	,,	7	50

66	Narwhal or unicorn teeth	catty	1	0
67	Sharks' skins	100 pieces	7	50
68	Snuff	catty	0	30
69	Soap, bar	100 catties	0	50
70	Stick lac...	,,	1	75
71	Sugar, brown and black	,,	0	40
72	,, white	,,	0	75
73	,, candy and loaf	,,	1	0
74	Tobacco	,,	1	80
75	Vermillion	,,	9	0
	WOOLLEN MANUFACTURES.			
76	Broad, habit, medium and narrow cloth, not exceeding 34 ins.	10 yards	0	60
	,, ,, ,, 55 ,,	,,	1	0
	,, ,, exceeding 55 ,,	,,	1	25
77	Spanish stripes	,,	0	75
78	Cassimeres, flannel, long ells and serges	,,	0	45
79	Bunting	,,	0	15
80	Camlets, Dutch	,,	0	75
81	,, English	,,	0	40

No	Article.	Duty.		
		Per.	Boos.	Cts.
82	Lastings, crape lastings, and worsted crapes, merinos and all other woollen goods not classed under No. 76 :—			
	A. not exceeding 34 inches	10 yards	0	30
	B. exceeding 34 „	„	0	45
83	Woollen and cotton mixtures, as imitation camlets, imitation lastings, Orleans (plain and figured), lustres (plain and figured), alpacas, baratheas, damasks, Italian cloth, taffachelass, Russell cords, cassandras, woollen fancies, camlet cords, and all other cotton and woollen mixtures :—			
	A. not exceeding 34 inches	„	0	30
	B. exceeding 34 „	„	0	45
84	Blankets and horse cloths	10 catties	0	50
85	Travelling rugs, plaids, and shawls	each	0	50
86	Figured woollen table cloths	„	0	75
87	Woollen singlets and drawers	dozen	1	0
88	Woollen and cotton singlets and drawers	„	0	60
89	Woollen yarn, plain and dyed	100 catties	10	0

Class II.—Duty Free Goods.

All animals used for food or draught.
Anchors and chain cables.
Coal.
Clothing, not being articles named in this tariff.
Gold and silver, coined and uncoined.
Grain, including rice, paddy, wheat, barley, oats, rye, peas, beans, millet, Indian corn.
Flour and meal prepared from above.
Oil cake.
Packing matting.
Printed books.
Salt.
Salted meats in casks.
Saltpetre.
Solder.
Tar and pitch.
Tea-firing pans and baskets.
Tea lead.
Travelling baggage.

Class III.—Prohibited Goods.

Opium.

Class IV.—Goods Subject to an Ad Valorem Duty of Five Per Cent. on Original Value.

Arms and munitions of war.
Articles de Paris.
Boots and shoes.
Clocks, watches, and musical boxes.
Coral.
Cutlery.
Drugs and medicines, such as ginseng, &c.
Dyes.
European porcelain and earthenware.
Furniture of all kinds, new and second hand.
Glass and crystal ware.
Gold and silver lace and thread.
Gums and spices not named in tarifl.
Lamps.

Looking-glasses.
Jewellery.
Machinery and manufactures in iron or steel. Manufactures of all kinds, in silk, silk and cotton, or silk and wool, as velvets, damasks, brocades, &c.
Paintings and engravings.
Perfumery, scented soap.
Plated ware.
Skins and furs.
Telescopes and scientific instruments.
Timber.
Wines, malt and spirituous liquors, table stores of all kinds.

And all other unenumerated Goods.

Note.—According to the VIIIth Article of the convention of Yedo, a duty will be charged on the sale of Foreign vessels to Japanese of 3 boos per ton for steamers, and 1 boo per ton for sailing vessels.

EXPORT TARIFF.

Class I.—Specific Duties.

No.	Article.	Duty.		
		Per	Poos.	Cts.
1	Awabi	100 catties	3	0
2	Do. Shells	,,	0	08
3	Camphor	,,	1	80
4	China root (Bukrio)	,,	0	75
5	Cassia	,,	0	30
6	Do. Buds	,,	2	25
7	Coal	,,	0	04
8	Cotton (raw)	,,	2	25
9	Coir	,,	0	45
10	Fish, dried or salted salmon and cod	,,	0	75
11	Do. cuttle	,,	1	05

12	Galnuts	,,	0	90
13	Ghinang or Ichio	,,	0	45
14	Hemp	,,	2	0
15	Honey	,,	1	05
16	Horns, deers, old	,,	0	90
17	Iricho or Bêche de Mer	,,	3	0
18	Iron, Japanese	,,	0	60
19	Isinglass...	,,	2	25
20	Lead	,,	0	90
21	Mushrooms, all qualities	,,	5	0
22	Oil, fish	,,	0	30
23	Do. seed...	,,	1	05
24	Paper, writing	,,	3	0
25	Do. inferior	,,	1	0
26	Peas, beans, and pulse of all kinds	,,	0	30
27	Peony bark (botampi)	,,	3	75
28	Potatoes...	,,	0	15
29	Rags	,,	0	12
30	Sake or Japanese wines or spirits	,,	0	90
31	Seaweed, uncut	,,	0	30

No.	Article.	Duty.		
		Per	Boos.	Cts.
32	Seaweed, cut	100 catties.	0	60
33	Seeds, rape	,,	0	45
34	Do. sesasum	,,	0	90
35	Sharks' fins	,,	1	80
36	Shrimps and prawns, dried salt	,,	1	80
	SILK.			
37	Raw and thrown	100 catties.	75	0
38	Tama or Dupioni	,,	20	0
39	Noshi or skein silk	,,	7	50
40	Floss silk	,,	20	0
41	Cocoons, pierced	,,	7	0
42	Do. unpierced	,,	12	0
43	Waste silk and waste cocoons	,,	2	25
44	Silk worms' eggs	Sheet	0	7½

45	Soy	100 catties	0	45
46	Sulphur	"	0	30
47	Tea	"	3	50
48	Do. quality known as "Ban cha" (when exported from Nagasaki only)	"	0	75
49	Tobacco, leaf	"	0	75
50	Tobacco, cut or prepared	"	1	50
51	Vermicelli	"	0	45
52	Wax, vegetable	"	1	50
53	Do. bees'	"	2	50

Class II.—Duty Free Goods.

Gold and silver coined. Gold, silver, and copper uncoined, of Japanese production, to be sold only by the Japanese Government at public auction.

Class III.—Prohibited Goods.

Rice, paddy, wheat, and barley.
Flour made from the above.
Saltpetre.

Class IV.—Goods subject to an Ad Valorem Duty of Five Per Cent. to be calculated on their Market Value.

Bamboo ware.
Copper utensils of all kinds.
Charcoal.
Ginseng and enumerated drugs.
Horns, deer, young or soft.
Mats and matting.
Silk dresses, manufactures or embroideries.
Timber.
And all other unenumerated goods.

RULES.

Rule I.

Unenumerated imports if mentioned in the export list shall not pay duty under that list, but shall be passed ad valorem ; and the same rule shall apply to any unenumerated exports that may be named in the import list.

Rule II.

Foreigners resident in Japan and the crews or passengers of foreign ships shall be allowed to purchase such supplies of the grain or flour named in the list of exports as they may require for their own consumption, but the usual shipping permit must be obtained from the Custom House before any of the aforesaid grain or flour can be shipped to a foreign vessel.

Rule III.

The *catty* mentioned in this tariff is equal to one pound and a third, English avoirdupois weight. The *yard* is the English measure of three feet—the English foot being one-eighth of an inch larger than the Japanese kaneshaku. The *boo* is a silver coin, weighing not less than 134 grains troy weight, and containing not less than nine parts of pure silver and not more than one part of alloy. The *cent* is the one-hundredth part of the boo.

(L.S.) HARRY S. PARKES,
Her Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in Japan.

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Politik Agent en Consul Generaal der Nederlanden, in Japan.

(L.S.) MIDZUNO IDZUMI NO KAMI.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

2nd Derbyshire Militia.

William Wynne Jeudwine, Gent, to be Ensign, vice Moore, promoted. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Renfrew.

Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Renfrew Militia.

John Swanston Wilson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th August, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant James Frost, of the Hampshlre Artillery Militia, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 3rd September, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 11, 1866.

TREATY of Peace, Friendship, and Commerce, between Her Majesty and the Queen of Madagascar.

Signed, in the English and Malagasy Languages, at Antananarivo, June 27, 1865.

[Ratifications exchanged at Antananarivo, July 5, 1865].

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and Her Majesty Rasoherina Manjaka, Queen of Mada-

gascar, being desirous of concluding a Treaty of Peace and Friendship, and to regulate thereby the commercial intercourse between their respective subjects and dominions, the following Articles have for that purpose been mutually agreed upon and signed between Thomas Conolly Pakenham, Esquire, Her Britannic Majesty's Consul in Madagascar, duly authorized to that effect on the part of Her Britannic Majesty, and by his Excellency Rainimaharavo, Sixteenth Honor, Chief Secretary of State; Andriantsitohaina, Sixteenth Honor; Ravahatra, Chief Judge; and Rafaralahibemalo, Head of the Civilians, duly authorized to that effect on the part of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar:—

ARTICLE I.

Peace, friendship, and good understanding shall from henceforward and for ever subsist between Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar, and between their respective heirs, successors, and subjects.

ARTICLE II.

The subjects of Her Britannic Majesty shall have full liberty to enter into, rent, or lease houses or lands in, trade with, and pass with their merchandize through, all parts of the dominions of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar which are under the control of a Governor duly appointed by the Malagasy authorities, except Ambohimanga, Ambohimanambola, and Amparafavato; and they shall enjoy therein all the privileges and advantages with regard to commerce, or with regard to any other matter whatsoever, which are now or may hereafter be granted to or allowed to be enjoyed by the subjects or citizens of the most

favoured nation; and the subjects of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar shall, in like manner, be at liberty to enter into, rent or lease houses or land in, trade with, and pass with their merchandize through all parts of Her Britanic Majesty's dominions, as freely as the subjects of the most favoured nation, and they shall enjoy, in those dominions, all the privileges and advantages with regard to commerce, or with regard to any other matter whatever, which are now or may hereafter be granted to or allowed to be enjoyed by the subjects or citizens of the most favoured nation.

ARTICLE III.

British subjects in the dominions of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar shall be allowed freely to exercise and teach the Christian religion, and to erect and maintain suitable places of worship. Such places of worship, with their lands and appurtenances, shall, however, be recognized as the property of the Queen of Madagascar, who shall permit them to be applied for ever to the special purposes for which they shall have been built. They shall, in the profession, exercise, and teaching of their religion, receive the protection of the Queen and her officers, and shall not be persecuted or interfered with.

Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar, from her friendship for Her Britannic Majesty, promises to grant full religious liberty to all her subjects, and not to persecute or molest any subjects or natives of Madagascar on account of their embracing or exercising the Christian religion. But should any of her subjects professing Christianity be found guilty of any criminal offence, the action of the law of the land shall not be interfered with.

ARTICLE IV.

The Queen of Madagascar engages to receive a British Agent at her capital; and Her Britannic Majesty, in like manner, engages to receive at the Mauritius, or at London, an Agent of the Queen of Madagascar.

Each Contracting Party may appoint Consuls for the protection of trade to reside in the dominions of the other.

Such Agents and Consuls shall enjoy, in the respective dominions, the same rights and privileges which are or may be there granted to Agents of the same rank of the most favoured nation.

ARTICLE V.

British subjects shall be permitted, as fully as the subjects or citizens of the most favoured nation, in any lawful manner to purchase, rent, or lease land, houses, warehouses, and all other kinds of property within all parts of the dominions of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar which are under the control of a Governor duly appointed by the Malagasy authorities. They shall be at liberty to build on land purchased, rented, or leased by them, houses of any material they please, except of stone or clay at the capital of Madagascar, and other towns where such buildings are forbidden by the laws of the country; and Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar engages that British subjects shall, as far as lies in her power, equally with her own subjects, enjoy within her dominions, full and complete protection and security for themselves and for any property which they may so acquire in future, or which they may have acquired already before the date of the present Treaty.

British subjects may freely engage in their service, in any capacity whatever, any native of Madagascar, not a slave or a soldier, who may be free from any previous engagement. Leases, contracts of sale or purchase of houses or lands in Madagascar, and engagements of labourers, may be executed by deeds signed before the British Consul and the local authorities. All such engagements, however, are liable to be determined by mutual consent, should the services of persons so engaged be required by the Queen, or on their own application, after due notice.

No domiciliary visits shall be made to the establishments, houses, or properties possessed or occupied by British subjects, unless by the consent of the occupants, or in concert with the British Consul.

In the absence, however, of any Consular officer, the local authorities may enter, after giving due notice to the occupants, whenever it is certainly known that stolen property or persons escaping from justice are concealed on the premises.

No British subjects residing in Madagascar shall have the right of entering the house of any subject of the Queen of Madagascar against the will of the occupant.

ARTICLE VI.

Munitions of war shall be imported by the Queen of Madagascar alone into her dominions; but save the said munitions of war, no article whatever shall be prohibited from being imported into the territories of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar; nor shall any article whatever be prohibited from being exported therefrom, except munitions of war, and the following articles which

are forbidden by the law of Madagascar to be exported, namely, timber and cows.

The trade between the dominions of Her Britannic Majesty and the dominions of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar shall be perfectly free, subject to a duty not exceeding ten per cent.

A Tariff of such duties shall be drawn up by the British Consul and by a person or persons commissioned by Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar, and shall be submitted for the approval of Her Britannic Majesty.

Such Tariff shall be drawn up and published within one year after the exchange of the ratifications of the present Treaty.

In case any article of produce or merchandize should be inadvertently omitted from such Tariff, the duty levied on such article shall be calculated at the market value of the merchandize at the period at which the Tariff was framed.

No prohibition shall apply to any article imported or exported by British subjects or vessels, unless the prohibition apply equally to the subjects and vessels of every other foreign nation.

ARTICLE VII.

Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar agrees that no duty exceeding ten per cent. shall be levied on the exportation from Her Majesty's dominions of any article, the growth, produce, or manufacture of those dominions.

ARTICLE VIII.

No duties of tonnage, harbour, pilotage, lighthouse, quarantine, or other local dues, shall be imposed in the ports of the dominions of either country upon the vessels of the other country, from whatever place arriving, or whatever may be

their place of destination, which shall not equally be imposed in the like cases on national vessels or on vessels of the most favoured nation.

ARTICLE IX.

Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar engages to permit the ships of war of Her Britannic Majesty freely to enter into the military ports, rivers, and creeks situated within her dominions, and to allow such ships to provide themselves, at a fair and moderate price, with such supplies, stores, and provisions as they may from time to time stand in need of.

No subject of the Queen of Madagascar shall be permitted to embark on board any British ship, except such as shall have received a passport from the Malagash authorities.

The rights of Sovereignty shall in all cases be respected in the dominions of the one Sovereign by the subjects of the other.

ARTICLE X.

If any vessels under the British flag should be wrecked on the coast of the dominions of the Queen of Madagascar, which are under the control of a Governor duly appointed by the Malagasy authorities, Her Majesty engages to give them all the assistance in her power, and to secure them from plunder, as well as to recover for and to deliver over to the owners thereof all the property which can be saved from such vessels. Her Majesty further engages to do all in her power to extend to the officers and crew, and to all other persons on board such wrecked vessels, full protection both as to their persons and as to their property.

ARTICLE XI.

Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar agrees that in all cases where a British subject shall be accused of any crime committed in any part of her dominions, the person so accused shall be exclusively tried and adjudged by the British Consul or other officer duly appointed for that purpose by Her Britannic Majesty. But any British subject whom the British Consul or other officer shall find to have been guilty of having openly offended against the laws of Madagascar shall be liable to be banished from the country.

In all cases where disputes or differences shall arise within the dominions of the Queen of Madagascar between British subjects and the subjects of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar, Her Britannic Majesty's Consul or other duly appointed officer, aided by an officer duly authorised by Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar, shall have power to hear and decide the same.

The Malagasy authorities shall not interfere in differences or disputes between British subjects, or between British subjects and the subjects or citizens of any third Power.

The British authorities shall not interfere in differences or disputes between Malagasy subjects and the subjects or citizens of any third Power in Madagascar.

ARTICLE XII.

If a subject of the Queen of Madagascar should refuse or evade the payment of a debt due to a British subject, the local authorities shall afford every assistance and facility to the creditor for recovering the debt; and, in like manner, the British Consul shall afford every assistance to subjects of the Queen of Madagascar to recover debts due to them by British subjects.

ARTICLE XIII.

The local authorities of Madagascar shall have no right to interfere with British vessels of commerce, which are subject only to the British authority and to their Captains; but no British vessel shall communicate with the shore before receiving pratique from the local authorities. In the absence, however, of a British ship of war, the Malagasy authorities, if requested by the British Consul or Consular Agent, shall afford assistance in order to cause his authority to be respected by his own countrymen, and to re-establish and maintain discipline among the crews of British merchant-vessels.

If any British seamen should desert from their ships, the local authorities shall use every effort to apprehend them, and shall deliver them up to the British Consul or to the Captain of their ship.

ARTICLE XIV.

The Malagasy authorities shall do all in their power to deliver up property of a British subject who may die in Madagascar to his heirs or representatives, or, in their absence, to the British Consul.

The property of a subject of the Queen of Madagascar who may die in the British dominions shall be treated in the same manner as the property of a British subject.

ARTICLE XV.

If any British merchant vessel should be attacked or plundered in the waters of Madagascar, adjacent to any military station whatever, the local authorities, as soon as informed of the fact, shall institute active pursuit after the offenders, and shall omit no effort to discover and punish them.

The goods which may have been carried off, wherever and in whatever state they may be found, shall be delivered to the owner, or to the Consul, who will undertake to restore them.

The same course shall be followed in the case of plunder or robbery committed on the property of British subjects residing in the neighbourhood of any military station, whether on the shores or in the interior of Madagascar.

The local authorities, on proving that they have used every effort to apprehend the offenders and to recover the goods stolen, shall not be pecuniarily responsible for the loss.

The same protection shall be granted in favour of the property of subjects of the Queen of Madagascar plundered or robbed on the coasts or in the interior of the British dominions.

ARTICLE XVI.

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar hereby engage to use every means in their power for the suppression of piracy within the seas, straits, and rivers subject to their respective control or influence; and Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar engages not to grant either asylum or protection to any persons or vessels engaged in piratical pursuits; and in no case will she permit ships, slaves, or merchandize captured by pirates to be introduced into her dominions, or to be exposed therein for sale. And Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar concedes to Her Britannic Majesty the right of investing her officers and other duly constituted authorities with the power of entering at all times, with her vessels of war, or other vessels duly empowered, the ports, rivers, and creeks within the dominions of Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar, in

order to capture all vessels engaged in piracy, and to seize and to reserve for the judgment of the proper authorities all persons offending against the two Contracting Powers in this respect.

ARTICLE XVII.

Her Britannic Majesty and Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar being greatly desirous of effecting the total abolition of the Trade in Slaves, Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar engages to do all in her power to prevent all such traffic on the part of her subjects, and to prohibit all persons residing within her dominions or subject to her, from countenancing or taking any share in such trade. No person from beyond sea shall be landed, purchased, or sold as slaves in any part of Madagascar. And Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar consents that British cruizers shall have the right of searching any Malagash or Arab vessels suspected of being engaged in the Slave Trade, whether under sail or at anchor in the waters of Madagascar. Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar further consents that if any such vessels shall prove to be engaged in the Slave Trade, such vessels and their crews shall be dealt with by the cruizers of Her Britannic Majesty as if such persons and their vessels had been engaged in a piratical undertaking.

ARTICLE XVIII.

Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar engages to abolish trial by the ordeal of poison.

If there should be war between Great Britain and Madagascar (which God forbid), any prisoners who may be taken by either party shall be kindly treated, and shall be set free, either by exchange during the war, or without exchange when peace

is made; and such prisoners shall not on any account be made slaves or put to death.

ARTICLE XIX.

The present Treaty shall be ratified by Her Britannic Majesty and by Her Majesty the Queen of Madagascar, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at London or Antananarivo, within the space of six months from this date.

But if, at any future time, it shall seem desirable in the interests of the subjects of either of the two Contracting Parties, to alter or to add to the present Treaty, such alterations or additions shall be effected with the consent of both parties.

Signed and sealed in duplicate originals, with Malagasy translation to each, at Antananarivo this twenty-seventh day of June, in the year 1865.

(L.S.) T. C. PAKENHAM,
Her Majesty's Consul for
Madagascar.

RAINIMAHARAVO,
Chief Secretary of State,
16 Vtra.
ANDRIANTSITOHAINA,
16 Vtra.
RAVAHATRA,
Lehibeny Andby.
RAFARALAHIBEMALO,
Leholona lehibe.

(1417.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 11, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Washington, enclosing the followihg copy of an amendatory Tariff Bill passed during the last session of the United States Congress :—

An Act to protect the Revenue, and for other purposes.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, that from and after the tenth day of August, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, in lieu of the duties now imposed by law on the articles mentioned and embraced in this section, there shall be levied, collected and paid, on all goods, wares, and merchandise imported from foreign countries, the duties heretofore [hereinafter] provided, viz. :—

On cigars, cigarettes, and cheroots of all kinds three dollars per pound, and, in addition thereto, fifty per centum ad valorem ; provided, that paper cigars and cigarettes, including wrappers, shall be subject to the same duties as are herein imposed upon cigars : and provided further, that on and after the first day of August, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, no cigars shall be imported unless the same are packed in boxes of not more than five hundred cigars in each box ; and no entry of any imported cigars shall be allowed of less quantity than three thousand in a single package ; and all cigars, on importation, shall be placed in public

store or bonded warehouse, and shall not be removed therefrom until the same shall have been inspected and a stamp affixed to each box indicating such inspection, with the date thereof. And the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to provide the requisite stamps, and to make all necessary regulations for carrying the above provisions of law into effect;

On cotton three cents per pound;

On all compounds or preparations of which distilled spirits is a component part of chief value, there shall be levied a duty not less than that imposed upon distilled spirits: provided, that brandy and other spirituous liquors may be imported in casks or other packages of any capacity not less than thirty gallons; and that wine in bottles may be imported in boxes containing not less than one dozen bottles of not more than one quart each; and wine, brandy, or other spirituous liquor imported into the United States, and shipped after the first day of October, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, in any less quantity than herein provided for, shall be forfeited to the United States.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, that, the second proviso in section four of an Act entitled "An Act amendatory of certain Acts imposing duties upon foreign importations," approved March three, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, shall be construed to include any ship, vessel, or steamer to or from any part in the Sandwich Islands or Society Islands.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, that so much of an Act entitled "An Act to authorise protection to be given to citizens of the United States, who may discover deposits of guano," approved August eighteen, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, as prohibits the export thereof, is hereby sus-

pended in relation to all persons who have complied with the provisions of section second of said Act, for five years from and after the fourteenth day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, that all laws and parts of laws allowing fishing bounties to vessels hereafter licensed to engage in the fisheries be, and the same are hereby repealed; provided, that from and after the date of the passage of his [this] Act, vessels licensed to engage in the fisheries may take on board imported salt in bond to be used in curing fish, under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe, and upon proof that said salt has been used in curing fish, the duties on the same shall be remitted.

SEC. 5. And be it further enacted, that from and after the passage of this Act, all goods, wares, or merchandize arriving at the ports of New York, Boston, and Portland, or any other port of the United States which may be specially designated by the Secretary of the Treasury, and destined for places in the adjacent British provinces, or arriving at the port of Point Isabel, Texas, or any other port of the United States which may be specially designated by the Secretary of the Treasury, and destined for places in the Republic of Mexico, may be entered at the Custom-house, and conveyed, in transit, through the territory of the United States, without the payment of duties under such rules, regulations, and conditions for the protection of the revenue, as the Secretary of the Treasury may prescribe.

SEC. 6. And be it further enacted, that imported goods, wares, or merchandize in bond or duty paid, and products or manufactures of the United States, may, with the consent of the proper authorities of the provinces or republic aforesaid, be transported from one port or place in the United

States to another port or place therein, over the territory of said provinces or republic, by such routes, and under such rules, regulations and conditions, as the Secretary of the Treasury may prescribe; and the goods, wares, and merchandise. so transported, shall upon arrival in the United States from the provinces, or republic aforesaid, be treated in regard to the liability to, or exemption from, duty or tax, as if the transportation had taken place entirely within the limits of the United States.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted, that whenever it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Secretary of the Treasury that more moneys have been paid to the collector of customs, or others acting as such, than the law requires, and the parties have failed to comply with the requirements of the fourteenth and fifteenth sections of the Act entitled "An Act to increase the duties on imports, and for other purposes," approved June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and the Secretary of the Treasury shall be satisfied that said non-compliance with the requirements as above stated was owing to circumstances beyond the control of the importer, consignee, or agent making such payments, he may draw his warrant upon the Treasurer in favour of the person or persons entitled to the over-payment, directing the said Treasurer to refund the same out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, that the provisions of the second, third, and fourth sections of the Act approved March second, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, entitled "An Act further to provide for the collection of duties on imports," and of the twelfth section of the Act approved March third, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled

"An Act to prevent and punish frauds upon the revenue, to provide for the more certain and speedy collection of claims in favour of the United States, and for other purposes," shall be taken and deemed as extending to and embracing all cases arising or which may have heretofore arisen and all suits and prosecutions heretofore brought and now pending, or which may hereafter be brought against any officer of the United Staies or other person by reason of any acts done or proceedings had by such officer or other person, under authority or color of the Act approved March twelve, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, entitled "An Act to provide for the collection of abandoned property, and for the prevention of frauds in insurrectionary districts within the United States," or the Act approved July two, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled "An Act in addition to the several Acts concerning commercial intercourse between loyal and insurrectionary States, and to provide for the collection of captured and abandoned property, and the prevention of frauds in States declared in insurrection:" provided, that such acts done or proceedings had under the two Acts last aforesaid, or under color thereof, shall have been done and had under the authority or by the direction of the executive government of the United States: and provided further, that when a recovery shall have been, or shall hereafter be, had in any such suit or prosecution brought, or which may hereafter be brought, as aforesaid, the payment of the amount recovered, as provided for in the said twelfth section of the Act approved March third, eighteen hundred and sixty-three aforesaid, shall be made out of the moneys arising and obtained from the proceeds of sales and leases and fees collected and paid over to the Government under the two Acts approved

March twelve, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, and July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, aforesaid, in relation to captured and abandoned property.

Sec. 9. And be it further enacted, that in determining the dutiable value of merchandise hereinafter imported, there shall be added to the cost, or to the actual wholesale price or general market value at the time of exportation in the principal markets of the country from whence the same shall have been imported into the United States, the cost of transportation, shipment, and transhipment, with all the expenses included from the place of growth, production, or manufacture, whether by land or water, to the vessel in which shipment is made to the United States; the value of the sack, box, or covering of any kind in which such goods are contained; commission at the usual rates, but in no case less than two and a half per centum; brokerage, export duty, and all other actual or usual charges for putting up, preparing, and packing for transportation or shipment. And all charges of a general character incurred in the purchase of a general invoice shall be distributed pro ratâ among all parts of such invoice; and every part thereof charged with duties based on value shall be advanced according to its proportion, and all wines or other articles paying specific duty by grades shall be graded and pay duty according to the actual value so determined; provided, that all additions made to the entered value of merchandise for charges shall be regarded as part of the actual value of such merchandise, and if such addition shall exceed by ten per centum the value so declared in the entry, in addition to the duties imposed by law, there shall be levied, collected, and paid a duty of twenty per centum on such value: provided, that the duty shall in no case

be assessed upon an amount less than the invoice or entered value: provided further, that nothing herein contained shall apply to long-combing or carpet wools costing twelve cents or less per pound, unless the charges so added shall carry the cost above twelve cents per pound, in which case one cent per pound duty shall be added.

SEC. 10. And be it further enacted, that the second proviso in section twenty-one of an Act entitled "An Act increasing temporarily the duties on imports, and for other purposes," approved July fourteen, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, which provides that any goods remaining in public store or bonded warehouse beyond three years shall be regarded as abandoned to the Government, and sold under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury may prescribe, and the proceeds paid into the Treasury, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to authorise the Secretary of the Treasury, in case of any sale under the said provision, to pay to the owner, consignee, or agent of such goods, the proceeds thereof, after deducting duties, charges, and expenses, in conformity with the provision of the first section of the Warehouse Act of August six, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

SEC. 11. And be it further enacted, that during [the] period of one year from the passage of this Act, there may be imported into the United States, free of duty, any machinery designed solely for, and adapted to, the manufacture of sugar from beets, including all the preliminary processes requisite for, but not including any machinery which may be used for any other manufactures.

SEC. 12. And be it further enacted, that upon the re-importation of articles once exported of the growth, produce, or manufacture of the United

States, upon which no internal tax has been assessed or paid, or upon which such tax has been paid or refunded by allowance or drawback, there shall be levied, collected, and paid a duty equal to the tax imposed by the internal revenue laws upon such articles.

SEC. 13. And be it further enacted, that there shall be established in and attached to the Department of the Treasury a bureau to be styled "The Bureau of Statistics," and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorised to appoint a director to superintend and control the business of said bureau, who shall be paid an annual salary of thirty-five hundred dollars. And it shall be the duty of the director of the Bureau of Statistics to prepare the report on the statistics of commerce and navigation, exports and imports, now required by law to be submitted annually to Congress by the Secretary of the Treasury; and said report, embracing the returns of the commerce and navigation, the exports and imports of the United States to the close of the fiscal year, shall be submitted to Congress in a printed form on or before the first day of December next succeeding; and the said director, as soon as practicable after the organization of this office shall, under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, prepare and publish monthly reports of the exports and imports of the United States, including the quantities and values of goods warehoused or withdrawn from warehouse, and such other statistics relative to the trade and industry of the country as the Secretary of the Treasury may consider expedient. And the director of the Bureau of Statistics shall also prepare an annual statement of vessels registered, enrolled, and licensed under the laws of the United States, together with the class, name, tonnage, and place of registry of each vessel, and

such other information as the Secretary of the Treasury may deem proper to embody therein; and to enable the said director to furnish the information required, the Secretary of the Treasury shall have power, under such regulations as he shall prescribe, to establish and provide a system of numbering vessels so registered, enrolled, and licensed; and each vessel so numbered shall have her number deeply carved or otherwise permanently marked on her main beam; and if at any time she shall cease to be so marked, such vessel shall be no longer recognized as a vessel of the United States. The said director shall also prepare an annual statement of all merchandise passing in transit through the United States to foreign countries, each description of merchandise, so far as practicable, warehoused, withdrawn from warehouse for consumption, for exportation, for transportation to other districts, and remaining in the warehouse at the end of each fiscal year. It shall be the further duty of the said director to collect, digest, and arrange, for the use of Congress, the statistics of the manufactures of the United States, their localities, sources of raw material, markets, exchanges with the producing regions of the country, transportation of products, wages, and such other conditions as are found to effect their prosperity; and to aid him in the discharge of these duties, the several clerks now employed in preparation of statistics in the Treasury Department, or any bureau thereof, may be placed under his supervision and direction; and, in addition, the Secretary of the Treasury shall detail such other clerks as may be necessary to fully carry out the provisions of this Act. And the expenses of the Bureau of Statistics for clerical service, publication of reports, stationary, books, and statistical periodicals and papers required by the

bureau, shall be defrayed on the order and approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated. And all letters and documents to and from the director of the Bureau of Statistics, relating to the duties and business of his office, shall be transmitted by mail free of postage.

SEC. 14. And be it further enacted, that the Secretary of the Treasury be authorized to suspend the collection, in any of the States heretofore declared in insurrection, of the direct tax imposed by an Act of Congress, passed August fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, entitled "An Act to provide increased revenue from imports, to pay interest on the public debt, and for other purposes," until January first, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight.

Approved, July 28, 1866.

War Office, Pall Mall.

11th September, 1866.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend E. W. Milner, M.A., Chaplain of the Second Class, to be Chaplain of the First Class. Dated 16th May, 1866.

The Reverend Charles J. Hort, M.A., Chaplain of the Second Class, to be Chaplain of the First Class. Dated 16th May, 1866.

India Office, 10th Sepiember, 1866.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions and alterations of rank

amongst the Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces :—

BREVET.

BENGAL ARMY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Charles Need, late 6th European Regiment.
Major Archibald Oliver Wood, late 14th Native Infantry.
Major Charles Curtis Drury, late 34th Native Infantry.

To be Majors.

Captain William Munnings Lees, Staff Corps. Dated 14th April, 1866.
Captain Francis Dashwood Ogilvie, late 46th Native Infantry. Dated 20th April, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Thomas Nicholls Walker, late 2nd European Regiment. Dated 14th March, 1866.
Lieutenant Wynyard Battye, late 65th Native Infantry. Dated 4th April, 1866.
Lieutenant Charles Metcalfe Bushby, late 70th Native Infantry. Dated 4th April, 1866.

MADRAS ARMY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Colin Mackenzie, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.
Lieutenant-Colonel Crawford Cooke, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.
Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Arthur Henry Webb, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.

To be Major.

Captain John Robert Fairlie, late 6th Light Cavalry. Dated 20th April, 1866.

BOMBAY ARMY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Broom Salmon, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Stock, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Torrens Vincent, Staff Corps. Dated 18th February, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain George Frederick Hayward, 17th Native Infantry. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Charles William Wahab, 14th Native Infantry. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Edward Macalister Gilbert Cooper, 13th Native Infantry. Dated 13th June, 1866.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Lewis George Brown, 5th Native Infantry. Dated 9th June, 1866.

ALTERATIONS OF RANK.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Mein Wilson, Bengal Staff Corps, to take rank from 17th August, 1864.

Lieutenant-Colonel Octavius Hamilton, Bengal Staff Corps, to take rank from 21st October, 1864.

Lieutenant-Colonel Octavius Edward Rothney, Bengal Staff Corps, to take rank from 8th January, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Joseph Fitzmaurice Stafford, Bengal Staff Corps, to take rank from 24th January, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Terrington Aitchison, Bombay Staff Corps, to take rank from 12th March, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Penfold Arthur, Bombay Staff Corps, to take rank from 28th March, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Le Poer Trench, Bengal Infantry, to take rank from 29th March, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Whittle Mackenzie Hall, Bengal Staff Corps, to take rank from 9th April, 1865.

Lieutenant - Colonel James Alphonse Collier, Bombay Staff Corps, to take rank from 5th June, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Murray Garstin, Bengal Staff Corps, to take rank from 13th June, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Malcolm Scrimshire Green, C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, to take rank from 23rd July, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Francis Maxwell Boisragon, Bengal Staff Corps, to take rank from 2nd August, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Henry Barchard, C.B., Bengal Infantry, to take rank from 22nd August, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Edward Kennion, Royal Artillery, to take rank from 12th October, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Carmichael Russell, Royal Artillery, to take rank from 20th November, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Harmer Sibley, Bengal Staff Corps, to take rank from 20th December, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Joseph Laurie, Bombay Infantry, to take rank from 21st December, 1865.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

Admission.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Thomas Shepherd, 20th Hussars. Dated 15th November, 1864.

Promotions.

To be Majors.

Captain Alexander Hervey Blackwood Bruce. Dated 20th April, 1866.

Captain William Thomas McGrigor. Dated 28th April, 1866.

Captain Richard Barter. Dated 28th April, 1866.

Captain Andrew Aldcorn Munro. Dated 5th May, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Thomas Cadell, V.C. Dated 17th April, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Wilson Gordon. Dated 6th May, 1866.

BENGAL ARMY.

Medical Officers.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Herbert Baillie, M.D., F.R.C.S. Dated 20th April, 1866.

Surgeon Donald McDonald, M.D. Dated 20th April, 1866.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Rupert Thomas Snow. Dated 28th April, 1866.

MADRAS ARMY.

Infantry.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) John Wilson, from 26th Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Stevens, retired. Dated 30th April, 1866.

26th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain), John Edulphus Swinton to be Captain, in succession to Stevens, retired. Dated 30th April, 1866.

Late 49th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Robert Stewart to be Captain, vice Pictet, retired. Dated 1st May, 1865.

Medical Officers.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon James Boyd Fleming, M.D. Dated 17th April, 1866.

Surgeon Duncan Mackenzie. Dated 5th May, 1866.

Surgeon George Baillie, M.D. Dated 19th May, 1866.

To be Surgeon.

Assistant Surgeon Henry Thompson Shaw. Dated 10th September, 1865.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William Samuel Jones. Dated 12th June, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain George William Macaulay. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Richard Maurice Bonnor. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain Malcolm Robert Haig. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain Franklin Phillips Mignon. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain James Gordon. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain Herbert Frederick Disbrowe. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain Charles Edward Naylor. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain George Julius Melliss. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain William Charles Lester. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain Charles Francis Falcon Chamberlain. Dated 13th June, 1866.
Captain William Henry Mason. Dated 13th June, 1866.

BOMBAY ARMY.

Medical Officers.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon Charles James Sylvester. Dated 3rd May, 1866.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon Lewis Stanhope Bruce. Dated 6th May, 1866.
Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Wellesley George Adey. Dated 9th May, 1866.

The names of the following Officers should be as now stated, and not as given in the Gazette of the 4th March, 1864 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert *Shortreed.*
Captain George Reynolds Scott *Burrows.*
Captain Henry *Pelham* Close.

Captain David *Hutcheon.*
Captain John George Henry *Philipps.*
Lieutenant Sidney James *Waudby.*
Lieutenant Arthur *Mark* Shewell.
Lieutenant Frederick *Stephens.*
Lieutenant Henry *Phillipps.*
Lieutenant Robert Augustus Carew *Hunt.*
Lieutenant Henry Thomas *Hebbert.*
Lieutenant Algernon William *Godson.*
Ensign George Herman *Reinecker.*
Cornet Augustus Henry Asgill Colville.

The Christian name of Lieutenant Curtois is *Atwill*, not *Atwell*, as hitherto gazetted.

Lieutenant-Colonel William John Doveton, Madras Infantry, ranks from *3rd* August, 1865, not 13*th* August, as stated in Gazette of 1st December, 1865.

Admiralty, 7th September, 1866.

Corps of Royal Marines.

Lieutenant-General Sir Fortescue Graham, K.C.B., to be Colonel of the Artillery Division, vice Menzies, deceased. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Major-General Alexander Anderson to be Colonel of the Plymouth Division, vice Graham. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Admiralty, 8th September, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Felix Henry March to be First Lieutenant, vice Broughton, deceased. Dated 5th September, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 14, 1866.

Foreign Office, September 13, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Charles Fornaro, as Consul at Calcutta for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

Whitehall, September 14, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Scott, Esq., late Major in Her Majesty's Army, to be one of the Special Commissioners for English Fisheries, in the room of Frederick Eden, Esq., resigned.

War Office, Pall Mall,
14th September, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Artillery.

Major-General William Bates Ingilby to be Colonel-Commandant, vice General Sir John Mitchell, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 24th August, 1866.

2nd Life Guards, Regimental Corporal-Major Thomas Wake to be Riding-master, vice John Reid, deceased. Dated 14th September, 1866.

1st Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Cecil John Shepherd, from the 60th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Chalmer, who exchanges. Dated 14th September, 1866.

5th Dragoon Guards, Thomas Arthur Freeman, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice William George Balfour, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

James Lawrence Charnock, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Timothy Leishman, who retires. Dated 15th September, 1866.

6th Dragoon Guards, Cornet Charles Leigh Davy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Henry Hoey, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Hugh Conyngham Gaston Montgomery, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Davy. Dated 14th September, 1866.

7th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Robert Bury to be Captain, by purchase, vice Francis Theophilus Blunt, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Cornet George Tomkyns Morris to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Bury. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Cecil Leycester Becher, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Morris. Dated 14th September, 1866.

9th Lancers, Cornet Leslie Augustus Royds Barrow to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Francis Henry, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Robert Johnston Barton, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Barrow. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Surgeon John James Clifford, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 7th August, 1866.

11*th Hussars*, Cornet and Adjutant St. John Stewardson Taylor to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Cornet Chetwood H. Currey to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Joseph Devonsher Jackson, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Trevor Randulph Jones, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Currey. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel James Benjamin Dennis to be Colonel, vice Collingwood Dickson, C.B., removed as a General Officer. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John George Boothby to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Dennis. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Second Captain Francis Faulkner Sheppee to be Captain, vice T. B. Heathorn, retired on half-pay. Dated 17th August, 1866.

Second Captain William Carey to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Boothby. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Thomas Heathcote Ouchterlony to be Second Captain, vice Sheppee. Dated 17th August, 1866.

Lieutenant William Henry Graham, to be Second Captain, vice Carey. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Second Captain Francis Arthur Mant to be Adjutant, vice William Carey, promoted. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Surgeon Alexander Smith, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Military Train, Surgeon Francis Reynolds, having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain George John FitzRoy Smyth to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain Godfrey James Wigram, who resigns the appointment. Dated 14th September, 1866.

1*st Regiment of Foot*, Ensign Frederick Young Wetherall to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thomas Henry Townshend, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Harry Wetherby, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Wetherall. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Alfred George Yaldwyn, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Weatherby, transferred to the 38th Foot. Dated 14th September, 1866.

19*th Foot*, Captain D'Urban William Farrer Blyth, from the 43rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Vesey, who exchanges. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Staff-Surgeon Exham Long Hiffernan to be Surgeon, vice William Tydd Harding, appointed to the Staff. Dated 14th September, 1866.

22*nd Foot*, Ensign William George Overton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Banks Linley, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet William Henry Kerr, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by pur-

chase, vice Overton. Dated 14th September, 1866.

24*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Alexander Henry Plasket to be Captain by purchase, vice Adolphus William Campbell, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Ensign Reginald Younghusband to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Plasket. Dated 14th September, 1866.

37*th Foot*, Captain Frederick Rice Stack, from half-pay, late 67th Foot, to be Captain, vice George William Savage, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1866.

38*th Foot*, Ensign Harry Weatherby, from the 1st Foot, to be Ensign, vice Hubert Charles Alfred Waldron, who resigns. Dated 14th September, 1866.

43*rd Foot*, Captain George Francis Vesey, from the 19th Foot, to be Captain, vice Blyth, who exchanges. Dated 14th September, 1866.

45*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Beauchamp F. Bagenal, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice James Clarendon Ramsbottom Isherwood, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

53*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Douglas Rooke to be Captain, by purchase, vice James Winsmore Corfield, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Ensign Richard Godman Temple Cotton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rooke. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Francis Cheyney Hare, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cotton. Dated 14th September, 1866.

54*th Foot*, Ensign Mileson Edgar to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Samuel Chapman, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

59*th Foot*, Ensign James George Bruce to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Peter Morgan, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Hamlet Dalton Wade, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bruce. Dated 14th September, 1866.

60*th Foot*, Major Edward Thomas Wickham, from half-pay, late 61st Foot, to be Major, vice Henry Edward Warren, who exchanges to temporary half-pay. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Lieutenant Reginald Chalmer, from the 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant, vice Shepherd, who exchanges. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Surgeon Edward William Young, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 7th August, 1866.

74*th Foot*, Ensign Archibald James Campbell has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 14th September, 1866.

85*th Foot*, Ensign Windham George Conway Anstruther has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 14th September, 1866.

87*th Foot*, Lieutenant Frank John Todd to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles James Urquhart, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Ensign Henry Francis Hurlock to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Todd. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Joseph Lewis Steavenson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hurlock. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Rifle Brigade, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Philip Patterson Lyons, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert James Blair Cunynghame, M.D., who resigns. Dated 14th September, 1866.

1*st West India Regiment*, Ensign James Fitz-Eustace Foster, from the Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James Edward Robert Moffit, who retires. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Lockhart Mure Hartley Kennedy, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Forster, promoted, by purchase, in the 1st West India Regiment. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, Staff-Surgeon Thomas Tarrant, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice John Knox Leet, M.D., placed upon half-pay. Dated 14th September, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

The under-mentioned Officers have been promoted to the rank of Surgeon-Major, for the ability and zeal displayed by them during the late operations in New Zealand :—

Staff-Surgeon Anthony Dickson Home, C.B.

Surgeon William Alexander Mackinnon, C.B., 57th Foot.

The under-mentioned Staff-Surgeons, having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be

Surgeons-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866 :—

Daniel Paterson Barry. Dated 7th August, 1866.
William Lapsley. Dated 7th August, 1866.
Surgeon William Tydd Harding, from the 19th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Exham Long Hiffernan, appointed to the 19th Foot. Dated 14th September, 1866.
Staff Assistant-Surgeon Henry Titterton, M.D., to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Thomas Tarrant, M.D., appointed to the Cape Mounted Riflemen. Dated 14th September, 1866.

BREVET.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on the 23rd ultimo, of General Sir John Mitchell, K.C.B., Colonel-Commandant of the Royal Artillery :—

Lieutenant-General William Wylde, C.B., Royal Artillery, to be General. Dated 24th August, 1866.
Major-General Francis Warde, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 24th August, 1866.
Colonel Collingwood Dickson, C. B., Royal Artillery, to be Major-General. Dated 24th August, 1866.
Captain and Brevet-Major John Edward Hope, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 24th August, 1866.
Captain Frederick Henry Rich, Royal Engineers, to be Major. Dated 24th August, 1866.

The following Officers, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-

Colonel, to be Colonels, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel R. O'Connell, Royal Artillery. Dated 28th July, 1866.

Major and Lieutenant-Colonel George Henry, Earl of Mount Charles, 1st Life Guards. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Blunt, C.B., Royal (Bengal) Artillery. Dated 24th March, 1866.

Captain Frederick Rice Stack, 37th Foot, to be Major. Dated 26th December, 1865.

Captain Christopher John Barnard, 4th West India Regiment, to be Major. Dated 14th September, 1866.

Colonel W. M. S. McMurdo, C.B., half-pay Military Train, to have the local rank of Brigadier-General while commanding a Brigade in Ireland. Dated 1st October, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Parke Ibbetson, half-pay 89th Foot, has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum of 15th February. 1861. Dated 14th September, 1866.

GENERAL ORDER.—No. 890.

Dated, Horse Guards, S.W.,
14th September, 1866.

His Royal Highness the Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief notifies to the Army, that Her Majesty has approved of the promotion of Staff-Surgeon Anthony Dickson Home, C.B., V.C., and Surgeon William Alexander Mackinnon, C.B.,

57th Regiment, to the rank of Surgeon-Major, for the ability and zeal displayed by these Officers during the late operations in New Zealand.

By command of His Royal Highness the Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief.

(Signed) WILLIAM PAULET,
Adjutant-General.

Admiralty, 11*th September*, 1866.

The under-mentioned Sub-Lieutenants and Acting Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to be Lieutenants and Acting Lieutenants respectively:

Mr. Arthur Bloxsome.
Mr. Dudley Charles Stuart.
Mr. Francis Henry Stafford O'Brien (Acting).
Mr. Arthur Francis Gresley.
Mr. Robert Nicholas Hammond.
Mr. Lawrence Græme Allan Roberts.
Mr. James Campbell Wilkinson.
Mr. William Herbert Maund.
Mr. Henry John Phillimore.
Mr. Samuel Lane Osborne.
Mr. Victor Edward John Brenton Von Donop.
Mr. William Stanlake Lee.
Mr. Henshaw Russell.
Mr. Gerald Arthur Ellis (Acting).
Mr. John Edward Greenhow (Acting).
Mr. Lindsey Bertie Crosbie (Acting).
Mr. Walter Leigh Bamber (Acting).
Mr. Pelham Aldrich.
Mr. William Hannam Henderson.
Mr. Edward Sanders Nuthall.
Mr. Robert Henry Armit.

Mr. Philip Blanch has this day been promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 4th September, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berwick.

George Baird, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th September, 1866.

Charles Balfour, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant Dated 4th September, 1866.

Colonel George William Fordyce Buchan to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th September, 1866.

Major John Hutchison Ferguson Home to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th September, 1866.

David Milne Home, Esq., jun., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th September, 1866.

Charles Maitland, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th September, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 18, 1866.

AT the Court at *Balmoral*, the 14th day of *September*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Parliament, which now stands prorogued to Thursday, the twenty-fifth day of October next, be further prorogued to Tuesday, the twentieth day of November next; and that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great

Britain do cause a Commission to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Parliament accordingly.

Edmund Harrison.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 14th day of *September*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

It is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York be prorogued from the day to which the same now stand prorogued to Wednesday, the twenty-first day of November next; and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause Writs to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Convocations accordingly.

Edmund Harrison.

At the *Council Chamber*, *Whitehall*, the 18th day of *September*, 1866.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Edward Gordon, Lord Penrhyn, to be Her Majesty's Lieutenant of the county of Carnarvon, his Lordship this day took and subscribed the oath appointed to be taken thereupon instead of the oaths of allegiance, supremacy, and abjuration.

War Office, *September* 17, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel

Edward Arthur Williams, of the Royal Artillery, and Lieutenant-Colonel Fiennes Middleton Colvile, of the 43rd Regiment, to be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

BY virtue of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal "so much of two Acts made in the tenth "and fifteenth years of the reign of His pre-"sent Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of "the House of Commons to issue his warrant to "the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs "for the election of Members to serve in Par-"liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and "for substituting other provisions for the like "purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the "time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess;"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that John Charles Pratt (commonly called Earl of Brecknock), now Marquis Camden, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Brecknock, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of summons hath been issued to him, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to summon him to Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of

six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this 14th day of September, 1866.

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

Whitehall, September 8, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Horace James Smith, of Broxbournbury, in the county of Hertford, Esq., in the Commission of the Peace for the said county, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in order to testify his respect for the memory of his father-in-law, George Jacob Bosanquet, late of Broxbournbury aforesaid, Esq., in the Commission of the Peace, and a Deputy-Lieutenant for the said county of Hertford, sometime High Sheriff for the said county, and formerly Chargé d'Affaires at the Court of Madrid, deceased, and in compliance with his wish, take and henceforth use the surname of Bosanquet, in addition to and after that of Smith, and bear the arms of Bosanquet quarterly with those of his own family; and that such surnames and arms may in like manner be taken, borne, and used by the issue of his marriage, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

St. James's Palace, September 14, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Right Honourable the Earl of Tankerville,

to appoint Captain Charles William Earle, one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Winchester, resigned.

Admiralty, 17*th September*, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

First Lieutenant Lennox George Rodney to be Captain, vice William Taylor, to half-pay. Dated 13th September, 1866.

Second Lieutenant William Purvis Wright to be First Lieutenant, vice Rodney. Dated 13th September, 1866.

Admiralty, 17*th September*, 1866.

Mr. George Barnes Blackwell has this day been promoted to the rank of First Class Assistant Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 3rd September, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Fifeshire Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant Thomas Russell to be Captain, vice Lumsdanie, resigned. Dated 5th September, 1866.

Lieutenant John Luke to be Captain, vice Spenlove, resigned. Dated 5th September, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 21, 1866.

India Office, September 17, 1866.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint His Highness Datu Tummongong Abubakr Sri, Maharajah of Jahore, to be a Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

Foreign Office, September 19, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Señor Antonio M. Pradilla as Consul at Liverpool for the United States of Columbia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. John Thompson as Vice-Consul at Hull for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

Admiralty, 18*th September,* 1866.

The undermentioned Officers have been this day promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon, with the seniority stated against their names ; viz :—

Arthur Wellesley W. Babington, Esq., 9th July, 1866.

John Walter Reid (B), Esq., M.D. 5th September, 1866.

Admiralty, 19*th September,* 1866.

Sub-Lieutenants :

Charles Auchmuty Tucker, and
William Frederick Murray,

to be Lieutenants, with seniority of 11th September, 1866.

The following promotions have this day been made:—

Mr. James Croll to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. David Wilson to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Kenneth McCaskill to be Acting Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Andrew Kennedy to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. James McArthur to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Daniel Wishart to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. John Muir to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Ebenezer Bennet to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. John Criekton to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. John Galbraith to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. John B. Gibson to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

North Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Thomas Heathcote Gerald Wyndham, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Mirehouse, promoted. Dated 19th September, 1866.

Cornet Edward Dean Fisher to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Shaw. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Ensign William Blakeney, from the 4th West India Regiment, to be Cornet, vice Edward Dean Fisher. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

8*th Hussars*, Lieutenant John George Stopford to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Stratton Bates, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Cornet and Adjutant Frederick Henry Maitland to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Cornet William St. Lo Malet to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Stopford. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

George Peter Low, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Malet. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Cornet Frederick Henry Maitland to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Thomas Coates, who has retired. Dated 10th July, 1866.

14*th Hussars*, Lieutenant John Hunter Knox to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Henry Travers Clarke Travers, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Cornet George William Douglas Kempson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Knox. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Joseph Lawrence Milligan, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Kempson. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Desbrisay Mein to be Colonel, vice John William Croggan, removed as a General Officer. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Eliot to be Colonel, vice James Abbott, removed as General Officer Dated 19th June, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major John Harvey Elwyn to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Mein. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Colonel Charles Harris Blunt, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Eliot. Dated 19th June, 1866.

Second Captain Archibald Robertson Gloag to be Captain,, vice Brevet-Major Elwyn. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Thomas Netherton Harward, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Colonel Blunt. Dated 19th June, 1866.

Second Captain Thomas Bland Strange to be Captain, vice Brevet-Colonel Francis Cornwallis Maude. C.B., retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 29th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Edward Thomas Ouchterlony to be Second Captain, vice Gloag. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Alexander William Duncan to be Second Captain, vice Strange. Dated 29th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Robert Joseph Pratt Saunders has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Serjeant-Major Jeremiah Daley to be Riding Master, vice Charles Clarke, deceased. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Staff-Surgeon Edmund Humphrey Roberts to be Surgeon, vice Howell Walters Voss, deceased. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Oswald Cowan, M.D., has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

1st Regiment of Foot, Captain Richard William Barnardiston Crowther, from the 63rd Foot, to be Captain. vice George Rowland, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

2nd Foot, Captain John F. A. Grierson, from the 70th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major R. Crosse Stewart, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

3rd Foot, Lieutenant Henry Thomas Halahan to be Captain, by purchase, vice Arthur Worthington, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Captain Charles Verey has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

5th Foot, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William McDonald, from the 72nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Francis Henry Pender, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

7th Foot, Captain Thomas Reeder Clarkson, from the 68th Foot, to be Captain, vice Charles Sutherland Dowson, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

13th Foot, Ensign Henry Adrian Wyatt-Edgell from the 59th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Buchanan, who exchanges. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

15th Foot, Captain Edward Mason, from the 17th Foot, to be Captain, vice Johnson Wilkinson, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

18th Foot, Surgeon John Eldon Young, M.D., from the 4[illegible]th Foot, to be Ensign, vice George William Peake, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Joseph Lindsey Curtis to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Hunter Alexander Coghlan, appointed to the Staff. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

21st Foot, Ensign Edmond Charles Browne to be

Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Edward Frederick Pole, deceased. Dated 7th July, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet William Yule, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Browne. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

The Honorable Montague Mostyn to be Paymaster, vice John F. A. Hartle, deceased. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

23*rd Foot*, Captain Chester Doughty, from the 85th Foot, to be Captain, vice Robert Douglas, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

25*th Foot*, Captain Standish Radley Jackson, from half-pay, late 78th Foot, to be Captain, vice Arthur Cotton Young, who retires upon half-pay on appointment as Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

27*th Foot*, Lieutenant Andrew David Geddes to be Captain, without purchase, vice James Moorhead, deceased. Dated 16th June, 1866.

Ensign Raymond Wallace Esmonde White to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Geddes. Dated 16th June, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Harvey Swetenham, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice White. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

28*th Foot*, Lieutenant Francis Henry Palmer Duncan has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

31*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet O'Moore Creagh, from the Royal Millitary College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Herbert Taylor, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

32nd Foot, Captain Robert Edward Stuart Harington, from the 52nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Bassano, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

34th Foot, Captain Granville William Puget to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Maxwell, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

35th Foot. Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Patrick Smith to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Donald Macgillivray Davidson, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

38th Foot, Ensign Thomas Francis Stillwell to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Charles Alexander Stuart Menteath, whose promotion without purchase on the 7th February, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 7th February, 1866.

Ensign James Alexander to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Thomas Francis Stillwell, whose promotion without purchase on the 18th February, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 18th February, 1866.

Ensign Walter St. James Young to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James Alexander, whose promotion by purchase on the 23rd March, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

40th Foot, Surgeon George William Peake, M.D., from the 18th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice John Eldon Young, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

42nd Foot, Lieutenant John Spence, from Adjutant of a Recruiting District, to be Captain, without purchase, vice W. G. Everard Webber, deceased. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Lieutenant Jonathan W. Haynes to be Captain, without purchase, vice Spence, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 10th July, 1866.

Ensign Arthur Wellesley Warrand to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Haynes. Dated 10th July, 1866.

59*th Foot*, Ensign Ralph Edmondstone Buchanan, from the 13th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Wyatt-Edgell, who exchanges. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

60*th Foot*, Ensign Henry Richard Ponsonby Lindesay to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Clifford Forteseue Borrer, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet the Honourable Keith Turnour, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lindesay. Dated 2nd October, 1866,

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Philip Lefeuvre Kilroy to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice George Allan Hutton, promoted on the Staff. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

61*st Foot*, Captain Gilbert de Lacy Lacy, from the 12th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Edward Thomas Wickham, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

63*rd Foot*, Ensign Justinian Heatheote Edwards to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Pollard Mayers Burton, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

64*th Foot*, Captain John Ayton Wood, from the 54th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Winter Goode, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Richard S. Crawley, Esq., to be Paymaster, vice Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Major, James Howes, placed upon half-pay. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

65*th Foot*, Captain Frederick George Frith, from the 74th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Henry Ferdinand Turner, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

72*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Stapleton D. Burges has been superseded for being absent without leave. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

75*th Foot*, Ensign William Clode Braddon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice St. John Clerke, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

77*th Foot*, Captain Richard Butler Willington to be Major, without purchase, vice Henry Alfred Macdonald, deceased. Dated 1st August, 1866.

Lieutenant Herbert F. L. Browne to be Captain, without purchase, vice Willington. Dated 1st August, 1866.

Ensign Vivian Page Byrne to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Browne. Dated 1st August, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Percy Charles Heath, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Byrne. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

78*th Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Grœme A. Lockhart, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Colin Campbell McIntyre, C.B., who retires upon full-pay, under the provisions of the 88th clause of the Royal Warrant of the 3rd February, 1866. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Captain Oswald Barton Feilden to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Lockhart, C.B. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Lieutenant Andrew Murray to be Captain, without purchase, vice Feilden. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Ensign Bertie George Jarvis to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Murray. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Ensign William F. Maitland Kirwan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Robert Meiklam, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Gilbert O'Grady, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Jarvis. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet the Honourable Mathew Henry Moreton, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Kirwan. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

82*nd Foot*, Captain and Brevet-Major Samuel Peters Jarvis to be Major, without purchase, vice Major and Brevet-Colonel George Latham Thomson, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Ensign Thomas William O'Driscoll to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice James Newman Tanner, deceased. Dated 26th June, 1866.

Ensign Lucius Joseph Collum to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice O'Driscoll, whose promotion, by purchase, on the 3rd August, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Herbert Anthony Sawyer, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Collum. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 25, 1866.

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall,* the 25th day of *September,* 1866.

HER Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Morgan Robinson, Lord Tredegar, to be Her Majesty's Lieutenant of the county of Brecon, he this day took and subscribed the oath appointed to be taken thereupon instead of the oaths of allegiance, supremacy, and abjuration.

Arthur Helps.

Foreign Office, September 17, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Norton Shaw, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Sainte-Croix.

(NOTE—The appointment of Mr. Wilthew to be Her Majesty's Consul at Sainte-Croix, which appeared in the Gazette of the 3rd of July last, is cancelled. Mr. Wilthew retains his appointment as Her Majesty's Consul at Islay).

Downing Street, September 22, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain James George Mackenzie, R.N. (late Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Falkland Islands and their dependencies), to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Saint Christopher.

War Office, Pall Mall,
25th September, 1866.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General Arthur Stuart Baynes to be Assistant Commissary-General, vice Rolleston, deceased. Dated 1st September, 1866.

MILITARY STORE DEPARTMENT.

Deputy-Assistant Superintendent of Stores M. J. Ingram to be Assistant Superintendent of Stores, vice E. Fryer, deceased. Dated 4th September, 1866.

Admiralty, 22nd September, 1866.

The undermentioned Assistant-Surgeons have this day been promoted to the rank of Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz.:—

James Alexander Skene, Esq.
William Robert Bennett, Esq., M.D.
Robert Ferguson, Esq., M.D.
William George Ridings, Esq.

Admiralty, 24th September, 1866.

Charles Leigh, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Regiment of Militia.

John Dawson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th September, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

2nd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

Arthur Barff, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Hay, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant William Carr, of the East and North Yorkshire Artillery Militia, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 20th September, 1866.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette regulating the postage to be charged on packets of patterns or samples, &c., posted in the United Kingdom or in the West Indies, addressed to any port in Ecuador, Bolivia, Chili. Peru, or Central America, or posted in the West Indies, addressed to any port in Australia or New Zealand.

Another Treasury Warrant is also published in this Gazette regulating the postage to be charged on letters, &c., posted in the United Kingdom or in any of Her Majesty's colonies, or in any foreign country, addressed to New Zealand or Australia.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 28, 1866.

Foreign Office, September 25, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Emilio Trigueros as Consul at Liverpool for His Majesty the Emperor of Mexico.

Downing Street, September 25, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant Stephen Henry Kenneth Wilson to be Resident Magistrate in the Colony of Natal.

(1418.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 27, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Portuguese Law fixing the duty payable on foreign seaworthy vessels, transferred to the Portuguese Flag at 10 per cent. ad valorem, and that on unseaworthy vessels at 5 per cent. ad valorem.

The same law fixes the import duty on timber for ships' masts at half per cent. ad valorem.

(1432.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 27, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Spanish Decree suspending for six months the export duties hitherto levied in the Island of Cuba.

(1496.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 28, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Decree issued by the Spanish Government, fixing the customs duty upon foreign hemp, raw or dressed, imported into Spain, at 5 escudos 460 millesimas per 100 kilogrammes, under the Spanish flag, and 6 escudos 550 millesimas per 100 kilogrammes, under foreign flags.

Admiralty, 27th September, 1866.

Mr. Henry Ward Thompson has been this day promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 15th September, 1866.

Queen's Commission.

King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

John Henry Nott, late Captain 1st Foot, to be Adjutant, from the 1st September, 1866, vice Gray, retired.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant John Henry Nott, of the King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 18th September, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

Sir George Campbell, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th September, 1866.

John Blackie, Esq., jun., to be Deputy Lieutenant, Dated 20th September, 1866.

2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

Charles Edward Harris Cunningham to be Lieutenant, vice George Innes, resigned. Dated 3rd September, 1866.

Archibald Hyndman Stein to be Lieutenant, vice Robert Pollock, promoted. Dated 4th September 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain John Gray, of the King's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Militia, to have the honorary rank of Major on retirement. Dated 1st September, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Queen's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Tower Hamlets Militia.

Lieutenant John Bolton to be Captain, vice Jones resigned. Dated 18th September, 1866.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette, regulating postage to be charged on letters, &c., transmitted by the post between any place in the United Kingdom and the Netherland possessions of Surinam and Curaçoa.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 2, 1866.

BY virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so "much of two Acts made in the tenth and "fifteenth years of the reign of His present "Majesty as authorizes the Speaker of the House "of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk "of the Crown for making out writs for the "election of Members to serve in Parliament, in "the manner therein mentioned, and for substi-"tuting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An "Act to limit and define the time for proceeding "to Election during the Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that the Honourable Thomas George Baring, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Penryn, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of summons hath been issued to him, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to summon him to Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this thirtieth day of September, 1866.

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so "much of two Acts made in the tenth and "fifteenth years of the reign of His present "Majesty as authorizes the Speaker of the House "of Commons to issue his warrant to the Clerk "of the Crown for making out writs for the "election of Members to serve in Parliament, in "the manner therein mentioned, and for substi-"tuting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An "Act to further limit and define the time for pro-"ceeding to Election during the Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of John Blake Dillon, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Tipperary, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this first day of October, 1866.

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

War Office, Pall Mall,
2nd October, 1866.

1*st Regiment of Life Guards*, Lieutenant Algernon William Fulke Greville has been permitted to take the surname of Nugent in addition to and after that of Greville.

7*th Hussars*, Lieutenant William Edward Shaw to be Captain, by purchase, vice Edward M. Palliser, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

86*th Foot*, Captain Colin Campbell, from the 48th Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Charles Darby, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

94*th Foot*, Lieutenant James Browne to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Mackinlay, whose promotion, by purchase, on the 7th ultimo, has been cancelled. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

95*th Foot*, Ensign O'Moore Creagh, from the 31st Foot, to be Ensign, vice James William Leech, placed upon half-pay. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

96*th Foot*, Ensign Aubrey Delves Broughton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Stephen Henry K. Wilson, who retires. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Tristram James Mair Dunlop, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Broughton. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

97*th Foot*, Captain Thomas Henry Sangster, from the 66th Foot, to be Captain, vice Edward Douglass Harvest, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

99*th Foot*, Captain George Rowland Waugh, from the 57th Foot, to be Captain, vice Ely, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

102*nd Foot*, Lieutenant James John Barclay to be Captain, vice Charles Edward Lennox, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Ensign Charles Harrison Carr to be Lieutenant, vice Barclay. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Alexander Thomas Seton Abercromby Rind, from the Royal Military College,

to be Ensign, vice Charles Harrison Carr. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

103*rd Foot*, Ensign Thomas Price to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant William Sydney Nugent, who resigns the appointment. Dated 14th May, 1866.

4*th West India Regiment*. Gentleman Cadet Thomas Joseph Aloysius Airey, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Ponsonby Sheppard, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Serjeant William Blakeney, from the 5th Lancers, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Patrick Kelly, killed in action. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

George Froom, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice William Blakeney, transferred to the 7th Hussars. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

DEPOT BATTALION.

Captain Henry Echalaz, 2nd Foot, to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Captain Martin Charles Selwyn Tupper, 29th Foot, who has retired from the Service. Dated 22nd August, 1866.

STAFF.

Brevet-Colonel Robert Lockhart Ross, C.B., Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 93rd Foot, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General at Suez, to superintend the overland transport of troops to India. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

The promotion of Staff-Surgeon A. D. Home, C.B., and Surgeon W. A. Mackinnon, C.B., 57th Foot, as Surgeons-Major, to bear date 14th September, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon George Allan Hutton, from the 60th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Edmund Humphrey Roberts, appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

To be Staff Assistant-Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon Hunter Alexander Coghlan, from the 18th Foot, vice Robert Muir Gilchrist, M.D., deceased. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon William Henry Corbett, M.D., from the 6th Dragoons, vice Joseph Lindsey Curtis, appointed to the 18th Foot. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Donald Macgillivray Davidson, M.D., from the 35th Foot, vice William Patrick Smith, appointed to the 35th Foot. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon John Livingston Power, from the 97th Foot, vice Philip Lefeuvre Kilroy, appointed to the 60th Foot. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon William Christy Robinson, from the 34th Foot, vice David Palmer Ross, M.D., resigned. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

James Lane Notter, M.B. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Henry Comerford, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Henry Thomas Brown, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.

John Harrington Wright, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Ulick Albert Jenings, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.

James Shaw McCutchan, M.B. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Henry Northage Land James, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Edward McCrystal, M.D. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Robert Francis Buchanan, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

James Patrick Rooney, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

James Henry Hannagan, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Thomas William Patterson, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

William Godfrey Martelli, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

William Augustus Forbes, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Frederic William Lloyd Hodder, M.B. Dated 31st March, 1866.

William Flack Stevenson, M.B. Dated 31st March, 1866.

William Alexander Thompson, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Henry Addison Hobbs, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Robert Nasmyth McPherson, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Robert Coleman Eaton, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

William Francis Burnett, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Richard Lambert, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Matthew Joseph Ryan, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

Edmund Farrington Boult, Gent. Dated 31st March, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Major and Brevet-Colonel George Latham Thomson, from the 82nd Foot, to be Lieutenant-

Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Maxwell, from the 34th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Coussmaker Heath, of the Bombay Army, to have the local rank of Major-General while serving on the Divisional Staff in the East Indies. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry Dalrymple White, C.B., half-pay, Unattached, to have the local rank of Brigadier-General while in command of a Brigade. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Captain Frederick Macdonald Birch, of the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major. Dated 5th April, 1866.

Captain John Spence, retired, full-pay, 42nd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 3rd February, 1866:—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Hardy, Depôt Battalion. Dated 16th September, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Walpole D'Oyly, 11th Foot. Dated 17th September, 1866.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death of General Sir Charles Menzies, K.C.B., of the Royal Marine Artillery, which occurred on the 22nd August, 1866:—

Captain and Brevet-Major Whitworth Porter, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel Dated 23rd August, 1866.

Captain Charles Richard Binney, Royal Engineers, to be Major. Dated 23rd August, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers upon half-pay have been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of their Commissions, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum of 15th February, 1861:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George Latham Thomson, half-pay, late 82nd Foot. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Major and Brevet-Colonel John Wegg, half-pay, 42nd Foot. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Admiralty, 29th September, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

First Lieutenant and Quartermaster Daniel Connor to be Captain, vice Smail, to half-pay. Dated 25th September, 1866.

Second Lieutenant Thomas Crafer to be First Lieutenant, vice Connor. Dated 25th September, 1866.

Admiralty, 1st October, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

First Lieutenant Andrew William Douglas Smith to be First Lieutenant and Quartermaster, vice Connor, promoted. Dated 28th September 1866.

Admiralty, 1st October, 1866.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have appointed William H. Sloggett, Esq., Staff Surgeon, R.N., to be Visiting Surgeon at Devonport, under the Contagious Diseases Act of 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 5, 1866.

Foreign Office, October 3, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Señor Guillermo Marthin as Consul-General in the United Kingdom for the United States of Colombia.

Crown Office, October 4, 1866.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Brecknock.

Howel Gwyn, of Dyffryn, near Neath, in the county of Glamorgan, Esq., in the room of John Charles Pratt (commonly called Earl of Brecknock), now Marquis Camden, summoned to the House of Peers.

Admiralty, 2nd October, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles John Didham to be Retired Commander, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1860, 1864, and 1866.

Admiralty, 4th October, 1866.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have appointed Edward Kent Parson, Esq., to be Visiting Surgeon at Portsmouth, under the Contagious Disease Act of 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, *and the Borough of* Kingston-upon-Hull.

James Meek, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 31st August, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Haddington.

East Lothian Yeomanry Cavalry.

David James, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice David Hope Somerville, M.D., resigned. Dated 11th August, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Edinburgh *or* Midlothian.

Edinburgh County Militia.

Douglas Drummond Dick, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Borthwick, resigned. Dated 22nd September, 1866.

Royal Midlothian Yeomanry Cavalry.

John Warden MacFarlan, Esq., to be Lieutenant, vice John Turnbull, promoted. Dated 30th July, 1866.

Claud Hamilton Hamilton, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Lord Aberdour, promoted. Dated 6th August, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Cornet Richard Edward Beck in the Montgomeryshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 9, 1866.

Admiralty, 5th October, 1866.

LIEUTENANT Robert Synge has been placed on the Retired List, with the rank of Commander, dated the 1st instant.

Admiralty, 8th October, 1866.

Dr. Alexander Armstrong, Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets, to be Honorary Surgeon to Her Majesty, vice Dr. Thomas R. Dunn, deceased.

Retired Commander Charles Bampfield Yule has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Captain, under the provisions of the Order in Council of 9th July, 1864, from the 1st instant.

The following promotions have this day taken place; viz. :—

Mr. Peter Foulis to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 2nd October, 1866.

Mr. Charles James Cock to be Assistant Engineer of the First Class in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 23rd September, 1866.

THE CONTAGIOUS DISEASES PREVENTION ACT, 1866.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty and the Secretary of State for War have appointed Dr. Peter Leonard to be Inspector of certified Hospitals under the above-mentioned Act.—London, 8th October, 1866.

The Contagious Diseases Prevention Act, 1866.

Notice is hereby given, that William H. Sloggett, Esq., Staff Surgeon, R. N., appointed Visiting Surgeon under the provisions of the Contagious Diseases Act of 1866, notice of whose appointment appeared in the Gazette of the 2nd of this month, has been appointed Visiting Surgeon at Plymouth and Devonport, and not Devonport only, as formerly notified

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Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Regiment of Militia.

Edward Hogg, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 1st October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 12, 1866.

Whitehall, October 10, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Stephen Temple, Esq, one of Her Majesty's Counsel, to be Her Majesty's Attorney-General of the County Palatine of Durham, vacant by the death of William Mathewson Hindmarch, Esq.

Whitehall, October 11, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Dawson to the church and parish of Dunnichen, in the presbytery and county of Forfar, vacant by the death of the Reverend Alexander Ross.

Whitehall, October 12, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Charles Edward Hadow, B.A., to the Rectory of East Barnet, in the county of Hertford, and diocese of Rochester, the same being void by the death of the Reverend Thomas Henry Elwin.

The Queen has also been pleased to nominate the Reverend Robert Rosseter Hutton, M.A., to the Perpetual Curacy of Chipping Barnet, in the same county and diocese, the same being void by the death of the Reverend Thomas Henry Elwin.

Downing Street, October, 11, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Julian Pauncefote, Esq., to be Attorney-General for the Colony of Hong Kong, and Henry Watson, Esq., to be Administrator-General for the Colony of British Guiana.

War Office, Pall Mall,
12th October, 1866.

Honourable Artillery Company of London.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of the appointment of Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, with the honorary rank of Colonel, John Charles Downie Morrison, on retired full-pay Royal Marines, to be Adjutant, with the rank of Captain, vice Captain George Brinewood Potts, who resigns. Dated 12th October, 1866.

Admiralty, 11*th October*, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet ; viz :—

George Frederick McDougall, Esq.
John Hilary Allard, Esq.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, *and County of the City of* Chester.

The Honourable Edward Kenyon to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th October, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

1st Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant William Gunston Gunston Maclean to be Captain, vice Patton, resigned. Dated 8th October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 16, 1866.

War Office, Pall Mall,
16th October, 1866.

2nd Regiment of Life Guards, The appointment of Regimental Corporal-Major Thomas Wake, as Riding-Master, to bear date 20th July, 1866.

6th Dragoon Guards, Cornet John Charles Symonds, from the 17th Lancers, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cecil Edward Martyn, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

2nd Dragoons, Lieutenant George Edward Graham Foster Pigott to be Captain by purchase, vice Percy Charles DuCane, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Cornet Patrick Sanderson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pigott. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Walter Johnson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Sanderson. Dated 16th October, 1866.

3rd Hussars, Oswin Cumming Baker-Cresswell, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Ernest Augustus Belford, transferred to the 17th Lancers. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Cornet Charles E. Nettles to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Samuel Barrett, who resigns the appointment. Dated 16th October, 1866.

8th Hussars, Lieutenant Edmond Hegan Kennard, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Horace Durrant, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Cornet Charles Howe Cuff Knox, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kennard. Dated 16th October, 1866.

William Thomas Tattershall Lees Fleetwood, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Knox. Dated 16th October, 1866.

17th Lancers, Lieutenant Henry William Young to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Richard Abadie, whose promotion by purchase, on the 15th June, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Captain Samuel Boulderson, from the 18th Foot, to be Captain, vice Young, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Thomas Arthur Cooke, from the 5th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Faulkner, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Cornet Ernest Augustus Belford, from the 3rd Hussars, to be Cornet, vice Symonds, promoted, by purchase, in the 6th Dragoon Guards. Dated 16th October, 1866.

The exchange between Captain H. R. Abadie, and Captain S. Boulderson, of the 18th Foot, which took place on the 7th August, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 16th October, 1866.

18th Hussars, Edward Nolan, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice James Watkins, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

William George Andrews, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Charles Kennett, who retires. Dated 17th October, 1866.

20th Hussars, Cornet Cecil Mangles to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Shepherd, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 16th October. 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Benjamin Watson Blake, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, vice Mangles. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Artillery. Lieutenant George Frederick Stanley Chambers, to be Second Captain, vice Rowland Burdon Webster, deceased. Dated 7th September, 1866.

Lieutenant William Southwell Curzon to be Second Captain, vice Brevet-Major H. C. S. Dyer, removed to the Supernumerary List on being appointed Assistant-Superintendent of the Small Arms Establishment at Pimlico. Dated 7th September, 1866.

The promotion of Second Captain Henry Bond to be dated 1*st* August, 1866, and not the 14*th* August, as stated in the Gazette of the latter date.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Croker to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice A. D. Gulland, M.D., promoted on the Staff. Dated 16th October, 1866.

The appointment of Surgeon-Major William Green Trousdell, M.D., which appeared in the Gazette, of 23rd March, 1866, should have been described as that of a Surgeon-Major.

The appointment of Veterinary-Surgeon Charles Edward Barton, from the Bombay Establish-

ment, as Veterinary-Surgeon, which appeared in the Gazette of 30th March, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Corps of Royal Engineers, Lieutenant Allen May to be Second Captain, vice G. H. Brooke, deceased. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Alfred Walter Thynne to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel the Honourable A. Murray Cathcart, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant Henry Trotter to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Thynne. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable James St. Vincent Saumarez to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Arthur Divett Hayter, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Charles Edward Ferdinand Clayton, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Trotter. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Laurence James Oliphant, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable J. St. V. Saumarez. Dated 17th October, 1866.

3rd Regiment of Foot, Staff Surgeon Thomas Teevan to be Surgeon, vice Touch, appointed to the Staff, Dated 16th October, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Atkinson to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Teevan, promoted on the Staff. Dated 16th October, 1866.

4th Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant John Edward Stokes to be Quartermaster, vice William Connell, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 16th October, 1866.

5th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Faulkner, from the 17th Lancers, to be Lieutenant, vice Cooke, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

6th Foot, Lieutenant Herbert Burrows Adcock to be Captain, without purchase, vice Rowland O'Connor, deceased. Dated 3rd July, 1866.

8th Foot, Lieutenant William Hunter Baillie to be Captain, by purchase, vice Fraser Newall, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign Alfred Mellor to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Baillie. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign James Matthew Taylor, from the 48th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Mellor. Dated 16th October, 1866.

9th Foot, Lieutenant Charles James Borton to be Captain, without purchase, vice John O'Flanagan, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 16th October, 1866.

10th Foot, Captain Anthony Robert Keogh, from the 14th Foot, to be Captain, vice Patrick Brown Lucas, promoted. Dated 16th October, 1866.

14th Foot, Lieutenant Anthony Robert Keogh to be Captain, by purchase, vice Frederick Gerard Armstrong, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign Charles Wood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Keogh. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederick King Laverton has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 16th October, 1866.

15th Foot, Captain Francis Powell Hopkins to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel William Fulton, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign William Charles James Lacy, from the 16th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Alexander Grant, transferred to the 42nd Foot. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Albert Edward Hamilton Smyth to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Layard, promoted. Dated 12th August, 1866.

16*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet George Patrick Campbell, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice William Charles James Lacy, transferred to the 15th Foot, Dated 16th October, 1866.

18*th Foot*, Captain Walter Higgin, from the 40th Foot, to be Captain, vice E. Hall, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Captain Henry William Young, from the 17th Lancers, to be Captain, vice Boulderson, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

The exchange between Captain S. Boulderson and Captain H. R. Abadie, of the 17th Lancers, which took place on the 7th August, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Francis Nathaniel Valentine Burton has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 16th October, 1866.

20*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Francis Crichton Maltby, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Thomas Ottiwell Moore, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

24*th Foot*, Ensign Edward Obré Heyland to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Alfred Beere, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Algernon Parish Oelrichs, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by

purchase, vice Heyland. Dated 16th October, 1866.

26*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Blakeway Burton to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Cresswell, who has resigned the appointment. Dated 7th August, 1866.

31*st Foot*, Captain Alexander Mitchell has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 16th October, 1866.

32*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Charles E. Le M. Cherry to be Captain, by purchase, vice James Hartley, who retires. Dated 16th October. 1866.

Ensign Robert Phillips to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cherry. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Frederick Nicholas Le Quesne, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Phillips. Dated 16th October, 1866.

38*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Robert Smith, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Charles Alexander Stuart Menteath, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

40*th Foot*, Captain Edward Hall, from the 18th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. Higgin, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Albert Lloyd, from the 101st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Dowman, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

41*st Foot*, Lieutenant Ashton Henry Warner to be Captain, without purchase, vice Richard Pack, deceased. Dated 7th July, 1866.

Ensign Edward Eden Hughes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Warner. Dated 7th July, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Stanley Champion

Crespigny, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Hughes. Dated 16th October, 1866.

42*nd Foot*, Ensign Alexander Grant, from 15th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Warrand, promoted. Dated 16th October, 1866.

47*th Foot*, Major Frederick Miller, from 80th Foot, to be Major, vice Margesson, who exchanges. Dated 17th October, 1866.

48*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Thomas Charles Orde Powlett, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Taylor, transferred to the 8th Foot. Dated 16th October, 1866.

49*th Foot*, Ensign Henry Board Williams to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Philip Alfred West, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet William Henry Lyster, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Williams. Dated 16th October, 1866.

58*th Foot*, Lieutenant Donald George Anderson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Wilkinson, whose promotion, by purchase, on the 5th June, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign Charles Scovell Whitmore to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Leonard James Wilkinson, deceased. Dated 2nd June, 1866.

Ensign William Fryer Daniel Dickinson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Whitmore, whose promotion, by purchase on the 5th June, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 16th October, 1866.

61*st Foot*, Captain Joseph Charles Ross Grove, from half-pay late 42nd Foot, to be Captain,

vice Francis De Luttrell Saunderson, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Edward Waugh Rumsey to be Captain, by purchase, vice Joseph Charles Ross Grove, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign Frederic John Curtin to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rumsey. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Thomas William Crawford Leathem, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Curtin. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Quartermaster-Serjeant James Robinson to be Quartermaster, vice John Dowler, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 16th October, 1866.

64th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Benjamin Pedder, from the 81st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Mathews, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

73rd Foot, Lieutenant F. Napoleon Bingley G. Benson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Alfred Herbert Morse, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign Joseph Carne Ross to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Benson. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet George Chapman Walker, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ross. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet George Villiers Turner, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice James Edmund Yonge, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon George Bridges Mouat,

M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 16th October, 1866.

78*th Foot*, Lieutenant Anthony Jones Carstairs to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Henry Seymour M. Browne, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign David Archibald Dalton Kennedy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Carstairs. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Massy Stacpoole, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Kennedy. Dated 16th October, 1866.

80*th Foot*, Major William George Margesson, from the 47th Foot, to be Major, vice Miller, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

81*st Foot*, Lieutenant William Charles Mathews, from the 64th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Pedder, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

100*th Foot*, Staff Surgeon Robert William Jackson to be Surgeon, vice John Smith Chartres, appointed to the Staff. Dated 16th October, 1866.

John Warden McFarlan, Esq., late Captain 4th Hussars, to be Paymaster, vice Hutchison, whose services have been dispensed with. Dated 16th October, 1866.

101*st Foot*, Lieutenant William Dowman, from the 40th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Lloyd, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

104*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Markham Ecles Teynham Sherwill, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice F. Sherman Buchanan, who resigns. Dated 16th October, 1866.

105*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Dudley Elphinstone Gouldsbury, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Henry Allen Hogge, superseded for being absent without leave. Dated 16th October, 1866.

108*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Edward Lloyd, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Lyndon Smith, who retires upon a pension. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Charles Vernon Eccles to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable F. Noel Somerville, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Frederick Compton Howard, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Eccles. Dated 16th October, 1866.

1*st West India Regiment*, Charles John Sidney Hawkins, late Gentleman Cadet at the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Edward John West Laing, transferred to the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 16th October, 1866.

2*nd West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Archibald Roger to be Captain, by purchase, vice Francis Adam Knapp, who retires. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign Albert Donald Ambrose Furse to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Roger. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Ensign Edward John West Laing, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Ensign, vice Furse. Dated 16th October, 1866.

4*th West India Regiment*, Captain Francis Charles Gavegan, from half-pay, late 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice James H. Lawrence Archer, who retires upon

half-pay, on appointment as Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 16th October, 1866.

DEPOT BATTALION.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Charles Hill Jones, from half-pay, late 54th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Edward Angier Godfrey Muller, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st October, 1866.

Major Henry Robert Cowell, from half-pay, late 3rd Foot, to be Major, vice Charles James Orton Swaffield, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 16th October, 1866.

ROYAL MILITARY ASYLUM.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Edward Angier Godfrey Muller, from half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, to be Commandant, vice Brevet-Colonel John Yorke, C.B., promoted Major-General. Dated 1st October, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Fulton, from the 15th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Major William Creagh O'Brien, from the 73rd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Stuart Baker, from the 59th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 21st August, 1866.

Lieutenant Nicholas Thomas Cuffe Herbert, from the 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 16th October, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon John Smith Chartres, from the 100th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Robert William Jackson, appointed to the 100th Foot. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Surgeon Edward Touch, M.D., from 3rd Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice James Davys, deceased. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Dudgeon Gulland, M.D., from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice John Joseph Mulock, deceased. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Teevan, from the 3rd Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon. Dated 16th October, 1866.

The transfer of Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Archer, from the 98th Foot, as Staff Assistant-Surgeon, to be vice Andrew Thomas Carbery, who resigns, and *not* vice George Traynor, as appeared in the Gazette of the 14th August, 1866, the latter Officer's resignation being cancelled. Dated 14th August, 1866.

BREVET.

The promotion of Major Edward Hungerford Eagar to a Brevet Lieutenant-Colonelcy, which appeared in the Gazette of 3rd August, 1866, to be antedated to the 25th January, 1866.

The honorary rank of Major conferred upon Captain John Spence, retired full-pay, 42nd Foot, to bear date 10th July, 1866.

Captain Eustace Cay, 70th Foot, to be Major. Dated 6th February, 1866.

Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain, Henry Charles Watson, of the 32nd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 4th August, 1866.

Quartermaster William Connell, retired upon half-pay, late 4th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 16th October, 1866.

Quartermaster John Dowler, retired upon half-pay, late 61st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 16th October, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers to be Aides-de Camp to the Queen, with the rank of Colonel in the Army :—

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable H. F. Keane, Royal Engineers. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel W. J. E. Grant, Royal Artillery. Dated 24th August, 1866.

The following Officers to have the local rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in India :—

Captain and Brevet-Major Archibald Tisdall, 35th Foot. Dated 26th June, 1866.

Major John D'Oyly Baring, 107th Foot. Dated 1st July, 1866.

Admiralty, 11*th October*, 1866.

Mr. Burges Watson, Acting Sub-Lieutenant, to be Acting Lieutenant, with seniority from the 5th September last, promoted by Vice-Admiral Sir James Hope, G.C.B., Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the North American and West India Station, in the vacancy caused by the death of Lieutenant Maddock.

Admiralty, 15*th October*, 1866,

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, in consideration of their

services and attainments, under Her Majesty's Order in Council of 6th July, 1866 :—

John McSwiney, Esq.
John Elliott, Esq.
David Lloyd Morgan, Esq, M.D.
John Denis Macdonald, Esq.

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES PREVENTION ACT OF 1866.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty have appointed Edward Swales, Esq., to be Visiting Surgeon at Sheerness under the abovementioned Act. London, 12th October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 19, 1866.

TREATY of Friendship, Commerce, and Navigation between Her Majesty and the United States of Colombia.

Signed at London, February 16, 1866.

[Ratifications exchanged at London, October 17, 1866.]

HER Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and the United States of Columbia, being desirous to maintain and improve the relations of good understanding which happily subsist between them, and to promote the commercial intercourse between their respective subjects and citizens, have deemed it expedient to conclude a Treaty of Friendship, Commerce, and Navigation, and have for that

purpose named as their respective Plenipotentiaries, that is to say:

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honourable George William Frederick, Earl of Clarendon, Baron Hyde of Hindon, a Peer of the United Kingdom, a Member of Her Britannic Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Her Britannic Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs; and the Right Honourable Thomas Milner Gibson, a Member of Her Britannic Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, a Member of Parliament, President of the Committee of Privy Council for Affairs of Trade and Foreign Plantations:

And the Citizen President of the United States of Columbia, Thomas Cipriano de Mosquera, Grand General of the Union, General-in-Chief in the Columbian Guard, a Senator, a Member of the Order of the Liberators of Cundinamarca, of those of the South of Columbia, of those of Peru, decorated with the Medal of Tescua, with that of Barbacoas, and with the Cross of Cuaspud, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Her Britannic Majesty:

Who, after having communicated to each other their repective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following Articles:—

ARTICLE I.

There shall be a perfect, firm, and inviolable peace and sincere friendship between Her Britannic Majesty and the United States of Columbia, throughout the whole extent of their possessions and territories, and between their subjects and

citizens, respectively, without distinction of person or place.

ARTICLE II.

There shall be between all the dominions and possessions of the two High Contracting Parties, reciprocal freedom of Commerce and navigation. The subjects and citizens of each of the two Contracting Parties, respectively, shall have liberty freely and securely to come, with their ships and cargoes, to all places, ports, and rivers in the dominions and possessions of the other, to which other foreign subjects or citizens are or may be permitted to come, upon the same terms and under the same conditions as those of the most favoured nations; and shall, throughout the whole extent of the dominions and possessions of the other, enjoy the same rights, privileges, liberties, favours, immunities and exemptions, in matters of commerce and navigation, which are or may be enjoyed by native subjects or citizens generally.

ARTICLE III.

No other or higher duties shall be imposed on the importation into the dominions and possessions of Her Britannic Majesty, of any article the produce or manufacture of the dominions and possessions of the United States of Columbia, from whatever place arriving, and no other or higher duties shall be imposed on the importation into the dominions and possessions of the United States of Columbia, of any article the produce or manufacture of Her Britannic Majesty's dominions and possessions, from whatever place arriving, than are or may be payable on the like article, the produce or manufacture of any other foreign country; nor shall any prohibition be maintained or imposed on the importation of any article the

produce or manufacture of the dominions and possessions of either of the Contracting Parties into the dominions and possessions of the other, which shall not equally extend to the importation of the like articles being the produce or manufacture of any other country.

ARTICLE IV.

No other or higher duties or charges shall be imposed in the dominions and possessions of either of the Contracting Parties, on the exportation of any article to the dominions and possessions of the other, than such as are, or may be, payable on the exportation of the like article to any other foreign country; nor shall any prohibition be imposed on the exportation of any article from the dominions and possessions of either of the two Contracting Parties to the dominions and possessions of the other, which shall not equally extend to the exportation of the like article to any other country.

ARTICE V.

The subjects or citizens of one of the Contracting Parties shall enjoy, in the dominions and possessions of the other, equality of treatment with native subjects or citizens in all that relates to the transit trade; and also in regard to warehousing, bounties, facilities, and drawbacks.

ARTICLE VI.

All articles which are or may be legally importable into the ports of the dominions and possessions of Her Britannic Majesty in British vessels, may likewise be imported into those ports in Columbian vessels, without being liable to any other or higher duties or charges, of whatever denomination, than if such articles were imported

in British vessels; and reciprocally, all articles which are or may be legally importable into the ports of the dominions and possessions of the United States of Columbia in Columbian vessels, may likewise be imported into those ports in British vessels, without being liable to any other or higher duties or charges, of whatever denomination, than if such articles were imported in Columbian vessels. Such reciprocal equality of treatment shall take effect without distinction, whether such articles come directly from the place of origin, or from any other place.

In the same manner there shall be perfect equality of treatment in regard to exportation, so that the same export duties shall be paid, and the same bounties and drawbacks allowed, in the dominions and possessions of either of the Contracting Parties, on the exportation of any article which is or may be legally exportable therefrom, whether such exportation shall take place in British or in Columbian vessels, and whatever may be the place of destination, whether a port of either of the Contracting Parties or of any third Power.

ARTICLE VII.

No duties of tonnage, harbour, pilotage, lighthouse, quarantine, or other similar or corresponding duties, of whatever nature, or under whatever denomination, levied in the name or for the profit of Government, public functionaries, private individuals, corporations, or establishments of any kind, shall be imposed in the ports of the dominions and possessions of either country upon the vessels of the other country, which shall not equally and under the same conditions be imposed, in the like cases, on national vessels in general. Such equality of treatment shall apply reciprocally to the respective vessels, from whatever port

or place they may arrive, and whatever may be their place of destination.

ARTICLE VIII.

In all that regards the stationing, loading, and unloading of vessels in the ports, basins, docks, roadsteads, harbours, or rivers of the dominions and possessions of the two countries, no privilege shall be granted to national vessels which shall not be equally granted to vessels of the other country; the intention of the Contracting Parties being that in this respect also the respective vessels shall be treated on the footing of perfect equality.

ARTICLE IX.

The stipulations of the preceding Articles shall not apply to the coasting trade, which remains subject to the particular legislation of each of the High Contracting Parties.

The vessels of each of the two Contracting Parties shall, however, be at liberty, if the captain, proprietor, or other person duly authorized to act as agent for the vessel or cargo, shall consider advisable, to proceed from one port of one of the two countries to one or more ports of the same country, in order to discharge the whole or part of their cargo brought from abroad, or in order to take in or complete their cargo, without paying other duties than those which are, or may be, paid by national vessels in similar cases.

ARTICLE X.

All vessels which according to British law are to be deemed British vessels and all vessels which according to Columbian law are to be deemed Columbian vessels, shall, for the purposes of this Treaty, be deemed British and Columbian vessels respectively.

ARTICLE XI.

Any import duty levied *ad valorem* in the territories of either of the two High Contracting Parties shall be calculated on the value at the place of production or fabrication of the object imported, with the addition of the cost of transport, insurance, and commission necessary for the importation into the country to which it is carried, its dominions and possessions, as far as the port of discharge.

For the levying of these duties, the importer shall make a written declaration at the Custom-house, stating the value and description of the goods imported, with the addition aforesaid. If the Custom-house authorities shall be of opinion that the declared value is insufficient, they shall be at liberty to take the goods on paying to the importer the price declared, with an addition of five per cent.

This payment, together with the restitution of any duty which may have been levied upon such goods, shall be made within the fifteen days following the declaration.

ARTICLE XII.

The subjects or citizens of each of the Contracting Parties shall have, in the dominions and possessions of the other, the same rights as native subjects or citizens in regard to trade-marks and designs of every description applicable to articles of manufacture.

ARTICLE XIII.

The Diplomatic Agents and Consuls of each of the two High Contracting Parties in the dominions or territories of the other shall enjoy whatever privileges, exemptions, and immunities are or

shall be granted there to Agents of the same rank, belonging to the most favoured nation.

It shall be free for each of the Contracting Parties to appoint Consuls-General, Consuls, Vice-Consuls, and Consular Agents, to reside in the towns and ports of the dominions and possessions of the other. Such Consuls-General, Consuls, Vice-Consuls, and Consular Agents, however, shall not enter upon their functions until after they shall have been approved and admitted, in the usual form, by the Government to which they are sent. They shall exercise whatever functions, and enjoy whatever privileges, exemptions, and immunities are or shall be granted there to Consuls of the most favoured nation.

ARTICLE XIV.

The subjects and citizens of each of the Contracting Parties, conforming themselves to the laws of the country,—

1. Shall have full liberty, with their families, to enter, travel, or reside in any part of the dominions and possessions of the other Contracting Party.

2. They shall be permitted to hire or possess the houses, manufactories, warehouses, shops, and premises which may be necessary for them.

3. They may carry on their commerce, by wholesale or by retail, and either in person or by any agents whom they may think fit to employ.

4. They shall not be subject, in respect of their persons or property, or in respect of passports, licences for residence or establishment, nor in respect of their commerce or industry, to any taxes, whether general or local, nor to imposts or obligations of any kind whatever, other or greater than those which are or may be imposed upon native subjects or citizens.

ARTICLE XV.

The subjects or citizens of the two High Contracting Parties residing in the territories of the other, shall enjoy the most perfect and entire liberty of conscience, without being molested or disturbed on account of their religious belief. Neither shall they be molested or disturbed in the proper exercise of their religion, in private houses, or in the churches, chapels, or places destined for worship, provided that in so doing they observe the decorum due to Divine worship, and the respect due to the laws of the country. Liberty shall also be granted to bury the subjects or citizens of the two High Contracting Parties who may die in the territories of the other, in convenient and adequate places to be appointed and established by the said resident subjects or citizens for that purpose, with the knowledge of the local authorities, or in such other places of sepulture as may be chosen by the friends of the deceased; and the funerals or sepulchres of the dead shall not be disturbed in any wise or upon any account.

ARTICLE XVI.

The subjects and citizens of each of the Contracting Parties in the dominions and possessions of the other shall be exempted from all compulsory military service whatever, whether in the army, navy, or national guard or militia. They shall be equally exempted from all judicial and municipal functions whatever, as well as from all contributions, whether pecuniary or in kind, imposed as a compensation for personal service; and, finally, from forced loans and military exactions or requisitions.

ARTICLE XVII.

The subjects and citizens of each of the Contracting Parties in the dominions and possessions

of the other, shall be at full liberty to acquire, possess, and dispose of every description of property which the laws of the country may permit any foreigners of whatsoever nation, to acquire and possess. They may acquire and dispose of the same, whether by purchase, sale, donation, exchange, marriage, testament, succession *ab intestato*, or in any other manner, under the same conditions as are established by the laws of the country for all foreigners. Their heirs and representatives may succeed to and take possession of such property, either in person or by agents acting on their behalf, in the same manner and in the same legal forms as subjects or citizens of the country. In the absence of heirs and representatives the property shall be treated in the same manner as the like property belonging to a subject or citizen of the country under similar circumstances.

In none of these respects shall they pay upon the value of such property any other or higher impost, duty, or charge than is payable by subjects or citizens of the country. In every case the subjects or citizens of the Contracting Parties shall be permitted to export their property, or the proceeds thereof, if sold, freely, and without being subjected on such exportation to pay any duty as foreigners, or any other or higher duties than those to which subjects or citizens of the country are liable under similar circumstances.

ARTICLE XVIII.

The dwellings, manufactories, warehouses, and shops of the subjects or citizens of each of the Contracting Parties in the dominions and possessions of the other, and all premises appertaining thereto, destined for purposes of residence or commerce, shall be respected. If there should be

occasion to make a search of, or a domiciliary visit to, such dwellings and premises, or to examine or inspect books, papers, or accounts, such measure shall be executed only in conformity with the legal warrant or order in writing of a tribunal, or of the competent authority.

The subjects or citizens of each of the two Contracting Parties in the dominions and possessions of the other, shall have free access to the Courts of Justice for the prosecution and defence of their rights. They shall enjoy in this respect the same rights and privileges as subjects or citizens of the country, and shall, like them, be at liberty to employ, in all causes, their advocates, attorneys, or agents from among the persons admitted to the exercise of those professions according to the laws of the country.

ARTICLE XIX.

For the better security of commerce between the subjects and citizens of the two High Contracting Parties, it is agreed that if at any time any rupture, or any interruption of friendly intercourse, should unfortunately take place between the two Contracting Parties, the subjects or citizens of either of them, established in the territories of the other, who may reside upon the coasts, shall be allowed six months, and those who may reside in the interior a whole year to wind up their accounts and to dispose of their property; and a safe conduct shall be given to them to embark at the port which they themselves shall select. The subjects or citizens of either of the two Contracting Parties who may be established in the dominions or territories of the other, in the exercise of any trade or other occupation or employment, shall be allowed to remain and continue in the exercise of the said trade or occupation, notwithstanding the

interruption of friendship between the two countries, in the free enjoyment of their personal liberty and property, so long as they behave peaceably and observe the laws; and their goods and effects, of whatever description they may be, whether in their own custody or entrusted to individuals or to the State, shall not be liable to seizure or sequestration, or to any other charges or demands than those which may be made upon the like effects or property belonging to native subjects or citizens. In the same case, or in case of domestic troubles, debts between individuals, public funds, and the shares of Companies, shall never be confiscated, sequestered, or detained.

ARTICLE XX.

Any ship of war or merchant-vessel of either of the Contracting Parties which may be compelled by stress of weather, or by accident, to take shelter in a port of the other, shall be at liberty to refit therein, to procure all necessary stores, and to put to sea again, without paying any dues other than such as would be payable in a similar case by a national vessel. In case, however, the master of a merchant vessel should be under the necessity of disposing of a part of his merchandize in order to defray his expenses, he shall be bound to conform to the regulations and tariffs of the place to which he may have come.

If any ship of war or merchant-vessel of one of the Contracting Parties should run aground or be wrecked upon the coasts of the other, such ship or vessel, and all parts thereof, and all furniture and appurtenances belonging thereunto, and all goods and merchandize saved therefrom, including any which may have been cast into the sea, or the proceeds thereof if sold, at well as all papers found on board such stranded or wrecked ship or vessel, shall be given up to the owners or

their agents when claimed by them. If there are no such owners or agents on the spot, then the same shall be delivered to the British or Columbian Consul-General, Consul, or Vice-Consul, in whose district the wreck or stranding may have taken place, upon being claimed by him within the period fixed by the laws of the country; and such Consuls, owners, or agents, shall pay only the expenses incurred in the preservation of the property, together with the salvage or other expenses which would have been payable in the like case of a wreck of a national vessel.

The goods and merchandize saved from the wreck shall be exempt from all duties of Customs, unless cleared for consumption, in which case they shall pay the same rate of duty as if they had been imported in a national vessel.

In the case either of a vessel being driven in by stress of weather, run aground, or wrecked, the respective Consuls-General, Consuls, Vice-Consuls, and Consular Agents shall, if the owner or master or other Agent of the owner is not present, or is present and requires it, be authorized to interpose in order to afford the necessary assistance to their fellow-countrymen.

ARTICLE XXI.

The Consuls-General, Consuls, Vice-Consuls, and Consular Agents of each of the Contracting Parties, residing in the dominions and possessions of the other, shall receive from the local authorities such assistance as can by law be given to them for the recovery of deserters from the vessels of their respective countries.

ARTICLE XXII.

The present Treaty of Commerce and Navigation, when ratified, shall, so far as regards the United States of Columbia, be substituted for the

Treaty between His Britannic Majesty and the State of Columbia, signed at Bogotá, on the 18th of April, 1825, and shall remain in force for ten years from the date of the exchange of the ratifications, and further until the expiration of twelve months after either of the Contracting Parties shall have given notice to the other of its intention to terminate the same: each of the Contracing Parties being at liberty to give such notice to the other at the expiration of the first nine years, or at any time afterwards.

ARTICLE XXIII.

The present Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at London in twelve months, or sooner if possible.

In witness whereof the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto their respective seals.

Done at London, the sixteenth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

(L.S.) CLARENDON.
(L.S.) THOS. MILNER GIBSON.
(L.S.) T. C. DE MOSQUERA.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, October 18, 1866,

Notice is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Monday next, the 22nd instant, until further orders.

Foreign Office, October 17, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Robert L. Bodine as Consul at Cape Town for the United States of America.

Crown Office, October 18, 1866.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Penryn.

Jervoise Smith, Esq., of No. 47, Belgrave-square, in the county of Middlesex, in the room of the Honourable Thomas George Baring (now Lord Northbrook), summoned to the House of Peers.

Whitehall, October 18, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Henry Bax, of Houghton-le-Spring, in the county palatine of Durham, Esq., of the Bengal Civil Service, Companion of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Magistrate and Collector at Benares, eldest son and heir of John Bax, late of Twyford, in the county of Hertford, Esq., sometime of the Bombay Civil Service, and Resident at the Court of Rao Holkar, deceased, by Jane, his wife, daughter of William Ironside, of Houghton-le-Spring aforesaid, Esq., a Captain in the 68th Regiment of Foot, and sister and co-heir of William Ironside, late of Houghton-le-Spring aforesaid, Esq., a Lieutenant in the 33rd Regiment of Foot, both also deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in a certain deed of release, dated the 2nd day of June, 1866, take and henceforth use the surname of Ironside, in addition to and after that of Bax, and that he and they may bear the arms of Ironside quarterly with those of Bax; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's said College of Arms,

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War Office, Pall Mall,
19th October, 1866.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General Luke Richard Castray to be Assistant Commissary-General, vice Ashton, retired. Dated 1st September, 1866

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Haddington.

East Lothian Yeomanry Cavalry.

Sir David Baird, Bart., to be Cornet. Dated 13th October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 23, 1866.

Downing Street, October 22, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Rear-Admiral Charles George Edward Patey to be Administrator of the Government of the Settlement on the Gambia, and Commander John Hawley Glover, R.N., to be Administrator of the Settlement of Lagos on the Western Coast of Africa.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her most Gracious Majesty, Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to "extend the Act of the twenty-fourth year of "King George the Third, chapter twenty-six, for "issuing writs during any recess of the House of "Commons, whether by prorogation or adjourn-"ment;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the "time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, in the manner required by the said Act, that John George, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament, for the county of Wexford, hath accepted the office of one of the Judges of Her Majesty's Court of Queen's Bench in Ireland, and has been gazetted thereto in the Dublin Gazette dated the 19th day of October, 1866, and has thereby vacated his seat; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this twenty-second day of October, 1866.

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

Queen's Commission.

Robert Thomas Baker, Gent., to be Quartermaster, from the 1st September, 1866, vice Rainforth, resigned.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Anthony Blake Lynch, in the 5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.

Leicestershire Regiment of Militia.

Thomas Alexander Leigh Knipe, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Barber, promoted. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 26, 1866.

Whitehall, October 24, 1866.

THE Queen, taking into Her Royal consideration that upon the decease of Brinsley, fourth Earl of Lanesborough, without issue, which happened on or about the 14th day of June, 1847, the title and dignity of Earl of Lanesborough devolved upon his cousin and heir, George-John Danvers, late Earl of Lanesborough, as the eldest son and heir of Augustus Richard Butler-Danvers, Esquire, commonly called the Honourable Augustus Richard Butler-Danvers (next brother of Robert Herbert, third Earl of Lanesborough, the father of the said Brinsley, fourth Earl of Lanesborough), who was the second son of Brinsley, second Earl of Lanesborough, that, according to the ordinary rules of honour, the sister of the said George-John-Danvers, Earl of Lanesborough,

cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to her in case her said late father had survived his nephew, the said Brinsley, fourth Earl of Lanesborough, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Earl of Lanesborough, Her Majesty hath been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Sophia Elizabeth Mary Dumaresq, the widow and relict of Henry Dumaresq, Esquire, Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, deceased, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence as if her said late father had survived his nephew Brinsley, fourth Earl of Lanesborough, and had thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Earl of Lanesborough:

Her Majesty hath been further pleased to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Whitehall, October 24, 1866.

The Queen, taking into Her Royal consideration that, upon the decease of George John Danvers, fifth Earl of Lanesborough, without issue, on the 7th day of July last, the title and dignity of Earl of Lanesborough devolved upon his nephew and heir, John Vansittart Danvers, now Earl of Lanesborough, as the eldest son and heir of Charles Augustus Danvers Butler, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Charles Augustus Danvers Butler (the next surviving brother of the said George John Danvers, late Earl of Lanesborough), who was the third but second surviving son of Augustus Richard Butler Danvers, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Augustus Richard Butler Danvers, and grandson of Brinsley, second Earl of Lanesborough, that according to the ordinary rules of honour, the brother and

sisters of the said John Vansittart Danvers, now Earl of Lanesborough, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them in case their said late father had survived his brother, the said George John Danvers, Earl of Lanesborough, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Earl of Lanesborough, Her Majesty hath been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that Charles Henry Danvers Butler, Esq., an Ensign in the 9th (East Norfolk) Regiment of Foot, Fanny Georgina, Wife of Loftus Fitz-Wygram, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, Emily Rosa Danvers Butler and Harriet Eliza Danvers Butler, Spinsters, the only brother and sisters of the said John Vansittart Danvers, now Earl of Lanesborough, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence, as if their said late father had survived his brother, George John Danvers, late Earl of Lanesborough, and had thereby succeeded to the said title and dignity of Earl of Lanesborough:

Her Majesty hath been further pleased to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown Office, October 24, 1866.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Tipperary.

The Honourable Captain Charles White, of Woodland Clonsilla, in the county of Dublin, in the room of John Blake Dillon, Esq., deceased.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

Julian Goldsmid, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th October, 1866.

Henry Dorrien Streatfeild, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 18th October, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Fifeshire Artillery Militia.

Colin Lindesay, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Spenlove, promoted. Dated 23rd October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 30, 1866.

Foreign Office, October 13, 1866.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Frederic Bernal, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Baltimore, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Havre-de-Grace.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Harry Thomas Alfred Rainals, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul in the Philippine Islands, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Baltimore.

Foreign Office, October 19, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Thorne Ricketts, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Sarawak, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Philippine Islands.

Foreign Office, October 29, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Alfred Hasche as Consul at Penang for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Juan Robertson as Consul at St. John, New Brunswick, for the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

Whitehall, October 27, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable John Edward Walsh to be Keeper or Master of the Rolls and Records of the Court of Chancery in that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland.

Whitehall, October 29, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom appointing Sir Hugh McCalmont Cairns, Knt., to be a Judge of the Court of Appeal in Chancery, in the room of the Right Honourable Sir James Lewis Knight-Bruce, resigned.

Crown Office, October 29, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to constitute and appoint John Rolt, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Council learned in the Law, to be Her Majesty's Attorney-General in all Her Majesty's Courts of Record in England.

War Office, Pall Mall,
30th October, 1866.

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Surgeon Richard Gilborne having completed twenty

years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Royal Artillery, Second Captain Richard Aufrere Baker to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Lionel Bridge, deceased. Dated 22nd August, 1866.

Lieutenant Robert Thomas Hamond to be Second Captain, vice Baker. Dated 22nd August, 1866.

The first Christian name of Second Captain Borradaile is *George* and not *John*, as previously stated.

Royal Engineers, Captain Henry Whatley Tyler, on the Seconded List, having elected to remain in civil employ under Government, after being absent from his corps the period allowed by Article 78 of the Royal Warrant of the 3rd February, 1866, has been taken off the strength of the Army.

The temporary Commissions of the following Officers as Lieutenants to be made permanent, viz. :—

Johnson William Savage. Dated 15th January, 1864.

Frank Vincent Corbett. Dated 15th January, 1864.

Arthur Granville Clayton. Dated 15th January, 1864.

Charles Thomas Harrison. Dated 15th January, 1864.

William North. Dated 9th February, 1864.

John Lawrence Macpherson. Dated 1st March, 1864.

Walter Parke Jones. Dated 22nd March, 1864.

James Simpson. Dated 19th July, 1864.

Nathaniel Westaway. Dated 19th July, 1864.

George Macdonald. Dated 19th July, 1864.

Grenadier Guards, Staff-Surgeon Arthur Guy Elkington to be Battalion-Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Charles R. Nicoll, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Julian Hamilton Hall to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice James Steadman Hawker Farrer, who retires. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable F. Arthur Wellesley to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Hall. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Hervey Juckes Lloyd Bruce, from the 52nd Foot, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable F. A. Wellesley. Dated 30th October, 1866.

3rd Regiment of Foot, Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain, James Wray, from the 19th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Henry Magill, deceased. Dated 30th October, 1866.

5th Foot, Major Thomas Rowland, from the 25th Foot, to be Major, vice Pender, who exchanges. Dated 30th October, 1866.

7th Foot, Surgeon Edward William Thomas Mandeville having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 25th September, 1866.

8th Foot, Surgeon John Madden having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 2nd October, 1886.

12th Foot, Ensign Henry Pulsford Hobson has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 30th October, 1866.

14th Foot, Captain John G. Maycock to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-

Colonel Douglas, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Ensign William Mills to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Callwell, who retires. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet George James Shorthouse Ross, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mills. Dated 30th October, 1866.

20th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Edward Hussey to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. M. Lovekin, who resigns the appointment. Dated 7th August, 1866.

24th Foot, Lieutenant John Fletcher Caldwell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Watkins, who retires. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Ensign Russell Upcher to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Caldwell. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Hubert Frederick Thomson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Upcher. Dated 30th October, 1866.

25th Foot, Major Francis Henry Pender, from the 5th Foot, to be Major, vice Rowland, who exchanges. Dated 30th October, 1866.

27th Foot, Captain Henry Charles Mansergh, from the 39th Foot, to be Captain, vice Matthew Fanning, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 30th October, 1866.

33rd Foot, Lieutenant James Maurice Shipton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Alexander Bruce Wallis, who retires. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Ensign George Frederick Arthur to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Shipton. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Baptist Johnston Barton, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Arthur. Dated 30th October, 1866.

38*th Foot*, Captain Andrew Pagan, from half-pay late 65th Foot, to be Captain, vice David William Martin, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 30th October, 1866.

40*th Foot*, Lieutenant de Neufville Lucas has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 30th October, 1866.

41*st Foot*, Captain Cecil James East, from the 82nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Thompson, who exchanges. Dated 13th August, 1866.

Ensign Harvey Hamilton Kelly to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Francis Blake Eagle, who retires. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Torkington, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Kelly. Dated 30th October, 1866.

58*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Henry Thomas Warde Allatt, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Dickinson, promoted. Dated 30th October, 1866.

60*th Foot*, Lieutenant George Thomas Whitaker to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Clifford Fortescue Borrer, who resigns the appointment. Dated 26th September, 1866.

66*th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Eales Soady to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry C. Spearman, who retires. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Ensign John William Carroll to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Soady. Dated 30th October, 1866.

73*rd Foot*, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel

John Cox Gawler to be Major, without purchase, vice O'Brien. promoted to a Half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 30th October, 1866.

82*nd Foot*, Captain Henry Masterman Thompson, from the 41st Foot, to be Captain, vice East, who exchanges. Dated 13th August, 1866.

106*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Wright to be Captain, vice George Maunsell, placed upon half-pay. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Ensign Arthur Corbet Maurice to be Lieutenant, vice Wright. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet William Hutt Curzon Wyllie, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Maurice. Dated 30th October, 1866.

107*th Foot*, Ensign Arthur Money Fisher to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Augustus Down, who resigns. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Bradford Smith, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Fisher. Dated 30th October, 1866.

4*th West India Regiment*, Ensign Frederick William Hodges to be Lieutenant, without purchase. vice Ernest Robert Finch Jenkins, killed in action. Dated 1st July, 1866.

Ensign William Anton Doorly to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Frederick William Hodges, deceased. Dated 7th August, 1866.

Ensign George Beresford Deare to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice John James Osborne, deceased. Dated 30th August, 1866.

Ensign Herbert William Paterson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hodges, whose promotion by purchase on the 17th July, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Colour-Serjeant John William McKay, from the

67th Foot, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Doorly. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Captain John Wells, from half-pay, late 86th Foot, to be Captain, vice Richard Henry Brooke, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Lieutenant William Biddulph Pinchard to be Captain, by purchase, vice Wells, who retires. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Ensign Michael Joseph Tighe to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice William Guy, deceased. Dated 1st June, 1866.

Ensign Alfred Randall to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pinchard. Dated 30th October. 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Arthur Frederick Perkins, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Tighe. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Arthur John Preston, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Randall. Dated 31st October, 1866.

Lieutenant Alfred Randall to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William Guy, deceased. Dated 30th October, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Surgeon Brinsley Nicholson, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 25th September, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Guy Elkington, from the Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Staff-Surgeon. Dated 30th October, 1866.

HALF PAY.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Douglas, from the 14th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

UNATTACHED.

Ensign George Marley, Unattached Bengal List, to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th June. 1866.

BREVET.

The local rank of Brigadier-General conferred upon Brevet-Colonel H. D. White, C.B., half-pay Unattached, to be dated 1st October, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers to have the local rank of Major in India :—

Captain E. W. Cuming, 79th Foot. Dated 24th July, 1866.

Captain D. W. Becher, 104th Foot. Dated 27th July, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

Artillery Battalion of the Royal Sussex Militia.

John Norris, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Sigismund Charles Noel de Lesser, displaced. Dated 19th October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 2, 1866.

War Office, November 2, 1866,

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Captain John Edmund Commerell, R.N., V.C., and Staff Commander Henry Augustus Moriarty, R.N., to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, October 30, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. W. C. van Oordt as Consul at Hong Kong for His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

Whitehall, October 31, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend James Fraser to the church and parish of St. Michael's, Dumfries, in the presbytery and county of Dumfries, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend John Duncan to the church and parish of Scoonie.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to "extend the Act of the twenty-fourth year of "King George the Third, chapter twenty-six, for "issuing writs during any recess of the House of "Commons, whether by prorogation or adjourn-"ment;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the "time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, in the manner required by the said Act, that John Rolt, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament, for the Western Division of the county of Gloucester, hath accepted the office of Her Majesty's Attorney-General, and has been gazetted thereto in the London Gazette dated the 30th day of October, 1866, and has thereby vacated his seat; and that I shall issue my warrant

to the Clerk of the Crown, to make out a new writ for the election of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said Western Division of the said county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this first day of November, 1866.

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

War Office, Pall Mall,
2nd November, 1866.

3rd Regiment of Hussars, Cornet Charles E. Nettles to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Cornet William Wood Clarke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Gordon Levett, who retires. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

9th Lancers, Troop Sergeant-Major John Crowdy, from Staff Cavalry Depôt, to be Riding Master, vice Norman Sharp Stevenson, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Leopold R. Seymour to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain Alfred Walter Thynne, promoted. Dated 16th October, 1866.

8th Regiment of Foot, Captain John Vere William Henry Webb to be Major, without purchase, vice George Edward Baynes, promoted to a Half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy, without purchase. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

16th Foot, Lieutenant Robert W. May Wetherell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Horace Ximenes, who retires. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Ensign Mallcott Sydney Richardson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Wetherell. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Carlton Wynn Griffith, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Richardson. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

22nd Foot, Ensign John Dallas Edge, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James Mark Chambers, who retires. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Frederick George Moore Ellis, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Edge. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

24th Foot, Captain and Brevet-Major Andrew John Macpherson to be Major, without purchase, vice Louis Howe Bazalgette, deceased. Dated 29th August, 1866.

Lieutenant John Moore Gurnel Tongue to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Macpherson. Dated 29th August, 1866.

Ensign Reginald Younghusband to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Tongue. Dated 29th August, 1866.

Ensign Edward Henry Randolph to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Younghusband, whose promotion by purchase on the 14th September, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet James Francis Carthew, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Randolph. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

45th Foot, Lieutenant Robert J. Callwell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Richard Blair, who retires. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Ensign Henry John de Berniere Smart to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Callwell. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Ensign Percy Charles Heath from the 77th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Smart. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Lieutenant John Olphert Gage to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant R. J. Callwell, promoted. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

53rd Foot, Reginald Allgood Hall, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Sydney Edward Underwood, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

57th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Mills to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles John Clark, who retires. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Ensign Edmund Broderip to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mills. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Ensign Hamlet Dalton Wade, from the 59th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Broderip. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

60th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Pierson Cramer to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William Henry Moseley, who resigns the appointment. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

77th Foot, George Campbell, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Percy Charles Heath, transferred to the 45th Foot. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

79th Foot, Ensign James Moray Brown, from the 84th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Farquhar McCrae, who retires. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

84th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Robert Vincent Gardiner, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice James Moray

Brown, transferred to the 79th Foot. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Edward John Fryer to be Captain, by purchase, vice Daniel Bishop Davy, who retires. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Ensign Hugh Maitland FitzRoy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Fryer. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

George Frederic Edmonstone, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Hugh Maitland FitzRoy. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Sparrow to be Staff Surgeon. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

HALF PAY.

Major George Edward Baynes, from the 8th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

STAFF.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Sir Henry F. F. Johnson, Bart., upon Half-pay, late 5th Foot, to be Deputy Adjutant-General to the Forces serving in Jamaica, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. A. Nelson, appointed Assistant Quartermaster-General, Nova Scotia. Dated 2nd November, 1866.

Admiralty, 30*th October*, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Second Lieutenant Edward Selby Innes to be First Lieutenant, viee Rutherford, resigned. Dated 23rd October, 1866.

Admiralty, 31*st October*, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers have been this day promoted to the rank of Chief Inspector of Machinery afloat, with seniority of 6th July, 1866 ; viz. :—

John Ward, Esq,
George Murdock, Esq.
William Arthur Dinnen, Esq.
Walter William Williamson, Esq.
Robert Nicoll, Esq.

With reference to the London Gazette of the 9th instant, the promotion of Lieutenant Robert Synge to the rank of Retired Commander, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866, has been cancelled.

Admiralty, 1*st November*, 1866.

William Fasken, Esq., M.D., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon, with seniority of 12th July, 1866.

Lieutenant Edgar Henry Blake has been this day promoted to be a Retired Commander under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1st August 1860, 9th July, 1864, and the 24th March, 1866.

Mr. James Sharp has this day been promoted to the rank of First Class Assistant Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 27th October, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.

Sir Alexander Bannerman, Bart., to be Vice Lieutenant, vice Colonel Charles Fraser, resigned. Dated 24th October, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

West Essex Militia.

Lieutenant Andrew Hamilton, late Lieutenant 31st Regiment, to be Captain, vice Marriott, resigned. Dated 22nd August, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 6, 1866.

War Office, November 6, 1866.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick John Goldsmid, of the Madras Staff Corps, Superintendent of the Indo-European Telegraph, and Edward Backhouse Eastwick, Esq., some time Secretary of Legation at the Court of Persia, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, November 3, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Thomas Fitnam as Consul at St. Helena for the United States of America.

Foreign Office, November 5, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Thomas Allcock as Consul at Goderich, Canada West, for the United States of America.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to "extend the Act of the twenty-fourth year of "King George the Third, chapter twenty-six, for "issuing writs during any recess of the House of "Commons, whether by prorogation or adjourn-"ment;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the "time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, in the manner required by the said Act, that Sir Hugh MacCalmont Cairns, Knt., late a Member serving in this present Parliament, for the borough of Belfast, hath accepted the Office of Lord Justice of the Court of Appeal in Chancery, and has been gazetted thereto in the London Gazette dated the 30th day of October, 1866, and has thereby vacated his seat; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament, for the said borough, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this second day of November, 1866.

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

(1636.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 5, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received

a copy of a Despatch from the Governor of Malta, stating that a fifteen days quarantine has been imposed upon all arrivals from Scotland and Ireland on account of the existence of cholera in those countries.

(1652.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 5, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Palermo, stating that the cholera quarantine upon all arrivals at that port from abroad, or from the coast of the Island of Sicily, is revoked. Vessels arriving under aggravating circumstances are however excepted from this arrangement.

(1659.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 5, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Board of Health declaring the port of Cork to be considered infected with cholera morbus.

(1672.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 5, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Board of Health declaring the port of Swansea to be considered suspected of cholera morbus.

(1643).

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 5. 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Vienna, enclosing a copy of a recent Austrian Decree, modifying, as follows, the Customs' duties levied on the importation of the undermentioned articles, in accordance with the provisions of the Treaty between Great Britain and Austria, of the 16th December, 1865 : –

Tariff Division.	Tariff Position.	Classification of Articles.	Unit of Entry.	Rate of Duty.	Remarks.
				Fl. Kr.	
40	*i.*	Cast iron, coarse wares, such as boilers, stoves, plates, wheels, pipes, and grates, the weight of each being more than 10 lbs., and parts of machinery, each part weighing more than 50 lbs. ...	per centner gross	1 60	

		Remark—When imported direct from the Zollverein	„	0	75
51	*a.*	Woollen yarn :—			
		1. Of carded wool, and			
		2. Of combed wool, hard (weft yarn), raw, not dyed nor three or more-fold twisted	„	1	00
		Remark—When imported direct from the Zollverein, Nos. 1 and 2 pay	„	0	75
„	*b.*	Combed yarns, soft, not dyed nor three or more-fold twisted	per centner net	4	50
53	*b.*	Ropemakers' wares, bleached, and grey packing-cloth (also sacks of such cloth)	per centner gross	1	50
		Remark—When imported direct from the Zollverein	„	0	75

Tariff Division.	Tariff Position.	Classification of Articles.	Unit of Entry.	Rate of Duty.	Remarks.
				Fl. Kr.	
		Note to (*a*) and (*b*).—By grey packing-cloth is meant a coarse, unbleached, smooth, or simply twilled tissue, without pattern, and which does not contain more than 30 warp threads to the Vienna inch.			
53	*c*.	Linen wares, most common:—			
		1. Linen cloth (except that named under (*e*) and (*d*), ticking and huckaback, unbleached and unfigured, also fire-buckets of unbleached saileloth.			

		2. Druggeting and matting (for floors and carriages, and laŭftēppiche) plain, coloured, or figured	per centner net	10	00	
		Remarks to 1 and 2:— When imported direct from the Zollverein	,,	6	00	
		Articles specified in the above-positions when of jute only...	,,	3	00	
74	...	Machines and parts of machines of wood, or of common, ungilt, and unsilvered metals, combined or not with component parts of other materials, provided they do not come under the heading of "small wares," and according to the weight of the predominating material:				
	a.	Of wood	per centner gross	1	00	Tare—Per centage on gross weight.

Tariff Division.	Tariff Position.	Classification of Articles.	Unit of Entry.	Rate of Duty. Fl.	Rate of Duty. Kr.	Remarks.
		Of cast iron	per centner net	2	50	16 in barrels and casks 9 in crates 8 in half cases (wooden frames) 6 in bales
		Ditto, when imported direct from the Zollverein	,,	2	00	
	c,	Of wrought iron or steel	,,	4	00	
	d.	Of other unspecified common metals	,,	7	50	
		Ditto, when imported direct from the Zollverein	,,	6	00	
		Remarks relating to Machinery. 1. Machines composed entirely of wood, as also those composed partly of such other materials as are not comprised under paragraph				

7, letter (*a*) of the preface to the Customs' Tariff pay as wood wares, paragraph 64. Parts of machinery of raw cast iron, each piece weighing more than 50 lbs., pay according to No. 40 *i*. Parts of machinery of raw cast zinc pay according to Tariff position 42 B. 2; and parts of machinery if of copper, brass, tin, and other unspecified common metals in coarse castings, such as bells or pipes, each part weighing more than 25 lbs., and in other forms, in pieces, each weighing more than 100 lbs., according to Tariff, position 43 *c*.

2. Locomotives, tenders, and steam boilers are included under the heading of machinery.

Tariff Division.	Tariff Position.	Classification of Articles.	Unit of Entry.	Rate of Duty.	Remarks.
		Remarks relating to Machinery — continued.		Fl. Kr.	
		Only such articles shall be considered as parts of machinery as the person paying duty shall declare as such, and which cannot be used alone, or without a driving power, such as, for example, spindles, eccentric or cog wheels, and steam cylinders.			
		3. A limited reduction of duty may be allowed by the Finance Minister, or, with his permission, by the local Finance Authority, on			

the importation of machinery and parts of machinery, under position 74 *b*, *c*, and *d*, to home manufacturers and transport undertakings, when imported for the purpose of their own trades, and also to landowners for their own agricultural purposes, regard being had, however, to the state and power of production of the home machinery trade; But the reduced duty on machines and parts thereof must never be less than :—			
		fl.	kr.
b. Of cast iron ...		1	33
c. Of wrought iron or steel		2	00
d. Of other unspecified common metals...		4	00

Tariff Division.	Tariff Position.	Classification of Articles.	Unit of Entry.	Rate of Duty.		Remarks.
				Fl.	Kr.	
76	*d.*	Chemical products and manufactures, not specially enumerated (not provided for in other parts of the Tariff.) To this class belong, also, fireworks, artificial lees, manufactures of gelatine, pastilles, sealing-wax, dyed wax, lemon-juice in bottles, chloroform, sulphuric ether, phosphorus, and preparations of quicksilver and cinnabar	per centner net	5	00	Tare.—Per centage on gross weight 16 in barrels and casks 9 in crates 6 in bales In the case of phosphorus in tin cases, filled with water, 20 per cent. in addition to the above tare for the outer covering.

(1597.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 5, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Madagascar, transmitting the following "Temporary Scale of Export Duties," which has been prepared for the convenience of British Merchants, pending the settlement of the Tariff:—

		D.	*C.*
Bags (empty)	per 100	0	50
Bones	per 100 lbs. Fr. weight	0	1
Beans	do.	0	30
Bees' Wax	do.	2	0
Coffee (husked)	do.	1	60
Earthen Pots, large size ...	per dozen	0	30
Ditto, small ...	do.	0	10
Fish (salted and dried) ...	per 100 lbs.	0	40
Gum Copal...	do.	1	20
Ginger (roots)	do.	0	40
Hides (salted and tanned)...	per 100	5	0
Horns (bullock)	do.	0	30
India Rubber	per 100 lbs	1	20
Lard	do.	1	50
Lentils	do.	0	30
Mats (ordinary)	per 100	0	50
Do. (Vinda)	each	0	20
Meats (salted)	per barrel	1	50
Maize	per 100 lbs.	0	30
Manioc Roots	do.	0	5
Potatoes	do.	0	30
Do. (sweet)	do.	0	5
Rice (white)	do.	0	20
Do. (paddy)	do.	0	10

		D.	C.
Rabannas (ordinary) ...	per 100	0	80
Straw Hats...	do.	0	50
Starch (Tavolo)	per 100 lbs.	0	20
Saffron Roots	do.	0	40
Tallow	do.	0	60
Tobacco	do.	0	60
Pigs	each	0	50
Sheep	do.	0	30
Goats	do.	0	30
Turkeys	per dozen	0	60
Geese	do.	0	60
Muscovy Ducks	do.	0	60
Ducks	do.	0	20
Fowls	do.	0	15
Guinea Fowls	do.	0	30
Water Fowls	do.	0	15

War Office, Pall Mall,

6th November, 1866.

107*th Regiment of Foot*, The date of the appointment of Ensign Smith is 30th October, 1866, and not as stated in the Gazette of that date.

GARRISON.

The Reverend William Graham Green, B.A., to be Chaplain to the Tower of London, vice the Reverend Joseph Yates Dod, M.A., whose services have been dispensed with. Dated 6th November, 1866.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Edwin Smith, M.A., Chaplain of the Fourth Class, to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 1st October, 1866.

Admiralty, 1st November, 1866.

William Forster Parsons, Esq. has been this day promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 2nd November, 1866.

Lieutenant the Right Honourable John Vansittart Danvers, Earl of Lanesborough, to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 9, 1866.

War Office, November 8, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Colonel Robert Stuart Baynes to be Police Magistrate for the City and Garrison of Gibraltar.

London, November 9, 1866.

The Secretary of State for War has appointed William Stuart, Esq., M.D., to be Visiting Surgeon for Woolwich and the London Lock Hospital, under the Contagious Diseases Act, 1866.

Whitehall, November 8, 1866.

The Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has appointed Albert Verner, Esq., to be an Inspector of Coal Mines and Ironstone Mines under the Act 23 and 24 Vict., cap. 151.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so "much of two Acts made in the tenth and "fifteenth years of the reign of His present "Majesty, as authorises the Speaker of the "House of Commons to issue his warrant to "the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs "for the election of Members to serve in Par-"liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and "for substituting other provisions for the like "purposes" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define "the time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that the death of George Lort Phillips, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county ot Pembroke, hath been certified to me in writing under the hands of two Memb rs serving in this present Parliament, and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this eighth day of November, 1866.

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

(1858.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November, 8, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,

a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Chargé d'Affaires at San José, inclosing a translation of a law modifying the Customs and Port Dues at Honduras, and containing the following Articles : –

ARTICLE 1. The Duty of 40 per cent., established by Article 11 of the latest Law of 10th February of the present year, shall be recovered in the same terms expressed by said Article, on the value of the original invoices of merchandize imported into the ports of Honduras.

ART. 2. Merchants introducing goods are obliged to bring and present in each Custom-house the original invoice, certified at foot by the Consuls, Vice-Consuls, or Agents of the Government of Honduras in foreign countries. Said merchants will also present an exact copy of such invoices to the Collector of Customs. After comparing the copy with the original, and finding them exact, said original will be returned to the merchant, and the Collector will retain the copy signed by the merchant, which will serve as a voucher for the entry of the duties ; and on said copy ought to appear the amount of duties charged to the merchant.

ART. 3 It is the duty of the Ministers, Consuls, and Vice-Consuls of Honduras, in foreign nations, to keep a book of registry, in which they will enter the names of the merchants whose invoices they certify, the amount of such invoices, and the port to which the goods are destined ; and to remit an extract, every three months, to the Government, through the Minister of Foreign Relations. Of this extract, the Minister of Finance will remit authorized copies to the Collectors of the different Custom-houses, so that they may compare them with the certified invoices, and if it should appear that there has been fraud on the part of any

merchant, he shall forfeit the half of the value of his invoice.

Art. 4. The duties on spirituous liquors shall be collected in terms of the Law of 23rd February of the present year 1866.

Act 5. Tonnage dues will be collected in the ports of the Republic in the following manner:—All vessels, national or foreign, steam or sailing vessels, which touch in the ports of Honduras with goods, or for business purposes, shall pay four reals per ton for each ton measurement, from ten to one hundred tons; from one hundred to one hundred and fifty, three reals; and from one hundred and fifty, upwards, two reals. This due, properly collected, shall be in money.

Art. 6. Vessels touching in distress, as, for instance, want of water or provisions, or on account of damage at sea, or to avoid storms, will pay no tonnage dues, but only pilotage, in case of requiring such, and lighthouse dues, if such should exist in the port; and this will not exceed five dollars on vessels of the larger tonnage, and twelve reals on those of the lesser; but this concession is granted on the understanding that the vessel should not remain beyond twenty-four hours, and should not do any business, such as discharging or shipping goods or passengers.

Art. 7. Transhipment duties shall be two per cent., in cash, and that of storage is suppressed.

Art. 8. All the ports of Honduras are of entry for consumption or deposit, and for this latter the merchant shall pay one per cent., when said deposit shall not exceed three months, and passing that term he shall pay import duty, as per Article 1 of this Decree, as it is then supposed that the goods are for introduction.

Art. 9. The entry of the cargo, of whatever nature it be, shall be made by the Collector of

each Custom-house, in presence of the owner or consignee.

Art. 10. Agricultural implements or machinery which may come for any undertaking, and not for commercial purposes, are free of all duty. Export duty will be the same expressed in the laws, memoranda, and dispositions that treat of this particular, and on such articles as these refer to.

Art. 11. Vessels belonging to the lines of steam packets which touch in the ports of Honduras are exempt from tonnage dues, and from all other port dues, for the term of ten years. After this term the Government will be at liberty to continue the concession, or suppress it, as may be most convenient for the national interest, unless the Companies for said undertakings make contracts with the Government direct.

Art. 12. All other merchant-vessels, steam or sailing, shall pay the dues established by Article 4.

Art. 13. Vessels under ten tons are free from dues, but not the cargoes which they may contain.

Art. 14. No duties will be levied on deposits of coals which the lines of steamers may establish in the ports of Honduras.

Art. 15. Duties on goods in deposit shall be paid at the time of entry, or, at furthest, within three days. The necessary regulations respecting other duties of which this Law makes mention are already made.

Art. 16. This Decree will commence to be in force six months after its date, and will be submitted to the Legislative Congress at its next meeting.

The tariff of duties of the Government of Salvador is annulled, as regards Honduras, said tariff having been decreed on 19th May, 1849, and adopted by the Government of this Republic by Decree of 11th June, 1852, and the Federal

Custom-house Regulations of 27th February, 1837, are in force in all respects not opposed to the present Decree.

War Office, Pall Mall,
9th November, 1866.

96th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General the Honourable Sir Augustus A. Spencer, K.C.B., to be Colonel, vice Major-General Sir Charles Warren, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 28th October, 1866.

3rd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Thomas Dawson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Arthur Charles Van Cortlandt, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Cornet Henry Frederick Twynam to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dawson. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Graham Eden William Græme Hamond, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Twynam. Dated 9th November, 1866.

5th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel L. Lyons Montgomery, late Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Paymaster, vice Nathaniel Eyre Robbins, transferred to Netley Hospital. Dated 11th August, 1866.

3rd Hussars, Cornet George William Eccles Hunter to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Maude, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Royal Artillery, Captain and Brevet-Major Edward Holbecke Couchman to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Allan Newton Scott, retired on full-pay. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

The surname of the Officer promoted to the rank of Captain, in the Gazette of 17th November, 1863, is *Dickson*, and not *Dixon*, as therein stated.

Second Captain Eardly William Childers on the Seconded List, to be Captain. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

Second Captain and Adjutant Robert Pope to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Couchman. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

Second Captain De Vie Francis Casey to be Captain, vice William Dickson, placed on half-pay. Dated 5th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Pritchard to be Second Captain, vice Pope. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Armstrong to be Second Captain, vice Carey. Dated 5th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Samuel Dunlop to be Second Captain, vice Tupper. Dated 10th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Edward Lyons to be Second Captain, vice Edward Egan, deceased. Dated 19th October, 1866.

Lieutenant William Michael Tollner to be Second Captain, vice Charles Wills Walrond, resigned. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Second Captain Harry McLeod to be Adjutant, vice Pope. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

Second Captain Æmilius de Vic Tupper to be Adjutant, vice James Everett, retired on half-pay. Dated 10th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Robert Townsend Farquhar has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 9th November, 1866.

5th Regiment of Foot, Gentleman Cadet Herbert Reay Gall, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Henry Thomas

Carew Hunt, transferred to the 74th Foot, Dated 9th November, 1866.

9th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Henry Josselyn to be Captain, by purchase, vice Richard Roberts who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866,

Ensign John Lovell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Josselyn. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Ensign Cyril Rippingal Jackson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Borton, promoted. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Croft Murray, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lovell, Dated 9th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Edmund Ralph William Mortimer, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Jackson. Dated 10th November, 1866.

12th Foot, Ensign John Taylor Winnington to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice G. Lyford Barry Thomas, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Allayne Beaumont Legard, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Colin McKenzie Taylor, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Patrick Douglas Jeffreys, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Allayne Beaumont Legard, transferred to the 60th Foot. Dated 9th November, 1866.

14th Foot, Ensign Henry John Smith has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 9th November, 1866.

16th Foot, Ensign Robert Vincent Gardiner, from the 84th Foot, to be Ensign, vice George Patrick Campbell, transferred to the 84th Foot. Dated 9th November, 1866.

18*th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Edward Watson, from half-pay late 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Alfred Augustus Chapman, who exchanges to half-pay. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Major George Augustus Elliot to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Watson, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Captain Richard Pretyman Bishopp to be Major, by purchase, vice Elliot. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Lieutenant J. Archer Julian Briggs to be Captain, by purchase, vice Bishopp. Dated 9th November, 1866,

Ensign Henry David Bicknell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Briggs. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Charles Lockhart Hamilton, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bicknell. Dated 9th November, 1866.

19*th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles V. Hiffernan to be Captain, without purchase, vice Francis Davis, deceased. Dated 21st October, 1866.

Ensign George Fearon Thorp to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Hiffernan. Dated 21st October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Stuart Erskine Rolland, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Thorp. Dated 9th November, 1866.

28*th Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Frederick Torrens Daniell to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel William Chester Master, C.B., who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Captain James Williams to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Daniell. Dated 9th November, 1866.

29th Foot, Lieutenant Edmund Carrington to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Charles Edward Pinckney Simpson, promoted. Dated 21st August, 1866.

31st Foot, Major James Wallace Dunlop Adair, from half-pay, late 5th Foot, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George E. Brown-Westhead, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Captain Charles Prevost to be Major, by purchase, vice Adair, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Lieutenant John Theodore Austin Gardiner to be Captain, by purchase, vice Prevost. Dated 9th November, 1866.

42nd Foot, Ensign Harry Richard Stanhope Foley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Allatt Drake, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

William Walter Dundas, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Foley. Dated 9th November, 1866.

53rd Foot, Ensign Murray Dyne Messiter to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Henry Douglas Rooke, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1866.

60th Foot, Ensign Allayne Beaumont Legard, from the 12th Foot, to be Ensign, vice the Honourable Henry Edward Dormer, deceased. Dated 9th November, 1866.

63rd Foot, Lieutenant Charles Henry Kinahan to be Captain, by purchase, vice Edward Joseph Hunt, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Ellison Terrot to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Charles Henry Kinahan, promoted. Dated 9th November, 1866.

72nd Foot, Captain Charles Fleming Hunter to be Major, by purchase, vice Alexander Crombie, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Arthur Crane to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hunter. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Ensign Maximilian Henry Emilius de Cetto to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Crane. Dated 9th November, 1866.

73rd Foot, Captain George Rowland Waugh, from the 99th Foot, to be Captain, vice Benson, who exchanges. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Ensign James Beardoe Doncaster to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Archibald Collings Fall Armstrong, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet William Frederick Duff Schreiber, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Doncaster. Dated 9th November, 1866.

74th Foot, Lieutenant Francis Pavy to be Captain, by purchase, vice Colin Hugh Thomson, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Ensign Conyngham Martin McAlpine to be Lieutenant. by purchase, vice Pavy. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Ensign Henry Thomas Carew Hunt, from the 5th Foot, to be Ensign, vice McAlpine. Dated 9th November, 1866.

78th Foot, Lieutenant Robert Lockhart Dalglish to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Andrew Murray, promoted. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

80th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Prescott Harrison, from half-pay, late 63rd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Robert

Hawkes, who exchanges to half-pay. Dated 9th November, 1866.

84*th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Griffin to be Captain, without purchase, vice Henry Arkwright, deceased. Dated 14th October, 1866.

Ensign George Atkinson Wray to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Griffin. Dated 14th October, 1866.

Ensign George Patrick Campbell, from the 16th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Robert Vincent Gardiner, transferred to the 16th Foot. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Alexander Vincent, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Wray. Dated 9th November, 1866.

99*th Foot*, Captain Francis Napoleon Bingley G. Benson, from the 73rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Waugh, who exchanges. Dated 9th November, 1866.

106*th Foot*, Ensign Arthur Corbet Maurice to be Lieutenant, vice William Heathcote Unwin, whose appointment from the 56th Bengal Native Infantry, which appeared in the Gazette of the 7th August, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 20th July, 1866.

Ensign James Winslow to be Lieutenant, vice Maurice, whose promotion on the 30th October, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 30th October, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Alister William Jamieson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Winslow. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Rifle Brigade, The promotion of Lieutenant Fryer, and retirement of Captain Davy, bear date 2nd November, 1866, and not as stated in the Gazette of that date.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Edgar Gardner to be Captain, by purchase, vice Lloyd Richter Creak Drouet, who retires. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Ensign Francis William Seafield Grant to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gardner. Dated 9th November, 1866.

William Stewart Thorburn, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Grant. Dated 9th November, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Richard Thomas to be Staff-Surgeon. Dated 9th November, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Richard Armstrong Hyde, from the 20th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice James Atkinson, appointed to the 3rd Foot. Dated 9th November, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Maguire, from the 60th Foot, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 1st April, 1866.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Allan Newton Scott, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Major, James Howes, half-pay, late 64th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 2nd October, 1866.

Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain, Charles Sewell, 6th Dragoon Guards, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 17th October, 1866.

Paymaster Watson, 32nd Foot, on promotion to the honorary rank of Major, which appeared in

the Gazette of 16th October, 1866, should have been described as *Captain*, and not *honorary Captain.*

Admiralty, 8th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Arthur Cecil Curtis, First Lieutenant of the Terrible, to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, in consideration of his services in laying the Atlantic Cable.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

1st Royal Devon Yeomanry Cavalry.

Henry Reginald Courtenay to be Cornet. Dated 13th October, 1866.

John Arthur Thomas Garratt to be Cornet. Dated 13th October, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant William Young, of the Royal Glamorgan Artillery Militia, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 29th October, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.

Royal Pembrokeshire Artillery Militia.

James Bowen Summers, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 30th October, 1866.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Thomas Kelly in the 1st Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia. Dated 25th October, 1866.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by First Lieutenant B. E. Hancock in the Northumberland Artillery Militia.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 13, 1866.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Exeellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that His Graee the Archbishop of Canterbury do prepare a Form of Prayer and Thanksgiving to Almighty God, for Relief from the Plague amongst Cattle, and for Protection against the Cholera; and that such Form of Prayer and Thanksgiving be used in all churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed, on Sunday, the eighteenth day of November instant, instead of the prayers now used for Relief from the Cattle Plague, and for protection against the Cholera, which are hereby ordered to be discontinued.

And it is hereby further ordered, that Her Majesty's Printer do forthwith print a competent number of copies of the said Form of Prayer and Thanksgiving, in order that the same may be forthwith sent round, and used in the several churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council, that all Ministers and Preachers, as well of the Established Church in that part of Great Britain called Scotland, as of the Episcopal Communion, protected and allowed by an Act, passed in the tenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Anne, chapter seven, do, at some time, during the exercise of Divine Service in their Churches, Congregations, or Assemblies, on Sunday, the eighteenth day of November instant, put up a Prayer and Thanksgiving to Almighty God for Relief from the Plague amongst Cattle, and for protection against the Cholera.

THE names of those who were nominated for Sheriffs by the Lords of the Council at the Exchequer on the Morrow of Saint Martin, in the thirtieth year of the reign of Queen Victoria, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six :—

ENGLAND

(excepting Cornwall and Lancashire).

Bedfordshire,	William Cooper Cooper, of Toddington, Esq.
	Sir John Montagu Burgoyne, of Sutton, Bart.
	Henry Francis Cockayne Cust, of Cockayne Hatley, Esq.
Berkshire,	Thomas Hargreaves, of Arborfield Hall, Esq.

	William Merry, of Highlands, Shinfield, Esq.
	Alexander William Cobham, of Leighton Park, Esq.
Bucks,	John Lee, of Hartwell House, Esq.
	Richard Henry Richard Howard - Vyse, of Stoke Place, Esq.
	James Carson, of Springfield in Great Marlow, Esq.
Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire,	Stanlake Ricketts Batson, of Horseheath, Esq.
	Richard Archer Houblon, of Bartlow, Esq.
	Sidney Stanley, of Long Stow, Esq.
Cheshire,	Thomas Henry Lyon, of Appleton Hall, near Warrington, Esq.
	William John Legh, of Lyme, Park, Disley, Stockport, Esq.
	John Coutts Antrobus, of Eaton Hall, Congleton, Esq.
Cumberland,	William Edward James, of Barrock Park, Esq.
	Sir Robert Brisco, of Crofton Hall, Bart.
	John Ewart, of Wingfield House, Esq.
Derbyshire,	Edward Sacheverell Chandos Pole, of Radborne, Esq.
	Francis Westbye Bagshawe, of The Oaks, near Sheffield, Esq.
	George Henry Strutt, of Bridge Hill, Belper, Esq.

Devonshire,	John Quicke, of Newton House, Esq.
	Sir Alexander Palmer Bruce Chichester, of Arlington Court, Bart.
	John Garratt, of Bishop's Court, Esq.
Dorsetshire,	John Hales Calcraft, of Rempstone Hall, Esq.
	Charles Joseph Parke, of Henbury, Esq.
	Sir Ivor Bertie Guest, of Canford Manor, Bart.
Durham,	William Scurfield Grey, of Norton, Esq.
	John Gregson, of Burdon, Esq.
	Anthony Wilkinson, of Hulam, Esq.
Essex,	Sir Richard Digby Neave, of Dagenham Park, Dagenham, Bart.
	Richard Baker Wingfield Baker, of Orsett Hall, Esq.
	William Fuller Maitland, of Stanstead, Esq.
Gloucestershire,	Edward Sampson, of Henbury, near Bristol, Esq.
	Hattil Foll, of Beckford Hall, near Tewkesbury, Esq.
	James Fenton, of Norton Hall, Mickleton, near Chipping Campden, Esq.
Herefordshire,	Thomas Reaveley, of Kinnersley Castle, near Kington, Esq.
	Tomkyns Dew, of Whitney Court, near Hereford, Esq.

	Augustus William Henry Meyrick, of Gooderich Court, Esq.
Hertfordshire,	Charles Booth, of Stanstead Abbotts, Esq.
	Robert Pryor, of High Elms, Watford, Esq.
	Robert Smith, of Goldings, Hertford, Esq.
Kent,	William Moore, of Wierton, Esq.
	Stephen Musgrave Hilton, of Bramling House, Ickham, Esq.
	Edward Charles Fletcher, of Kenward, Esq.
Leicestershire,	Ambrose Lisle March Phillipps de Lisle, of Gracedieu Manor, Leicester, Esq.
	Edward Finch Dawson, of Launde Abbey, Esq.
	Edward Basil Farnham, of Quorndon, Esq.
Lincolnshire,	Henry Chaplin, of Blankney, Esq.
	Sir Henry Hickman Bacon, of Thonock, Bart,
	John Wilson Fox, of Girsby House, Esq.
Monmouthshire,	George Relph Greenhow-Relph, of Beech-hill, Esq.
	Frank Johnstone Mitchell, of Llanfrechfa Grange, near Newport, Esq.
	John Lawrence, of Crick House, near Chepstow, Esq.
Norfolk.	Albemarle Cator, of Woodbastwick, Esq.

Sir Thomas William Brograve Proctor Beauchamp, of Langley Park, Bart.
The Right Honourable Thomas Heron, Viscount Ranelagh, of Saint Faiths.

Northamptonshire, William Somerset Rose, of Cransley, Esq.
William Cornwallis Cartwright, of Aynhoe, Esq.
Richard Christopher Naylor, of Kelmarsh, Esq.

Northumberland, George Culley, of Fowberry, Esq.
Thomas Leyland, of Haggerstone Castle, Esq.
John Blenkinsopp Coulson, of Blenkinsopp Castle, Esq.

Nottinghamshire, Sir John Sutton, of Norwood Park, Bart.
John Bagshaw Taylor, of Radcliffe-upon-Trent, Esq.
John Handley, of Newark-upon-Trent, Esq.

Oxfordshire, Alexander William Hall, of Dunstew, Esq.
John Weyland, of Woodeaton, Esq.
Robert Thomas Lowndes Norton, of Brightwell Park, Esq.

Rutland, Edward Nathaniel Conant, of Lyndon, Esq.
Robert Heathcote, of North-Luffenham, Esq.
Richard Septimus Wilkinson, of Manton, Esq.

Shropshire,	Sir Charles Frederick Smyth, of Acton Burnell, Bart.
	Charles Spencer Lloyd, of Leaton Knolls, Esq.
	John Rocke, of Clungunford, Esq.
Somersetshire,	Richard Thomas Combe, of Earnshill, Esq.
	Inigo William Jones, of Kelston Park, Esq.
	Sir Henry Ainslie Hoare, of Stourhead, Esq.
County of Southampton.	William Hans Sloane Stanley, of Paultons, near Romsey, Esq.
	Sir Edward Hulse, of Breamore House, near Salisbury, Bart.
	Sir Charles Hayes Miller, of Froyle, Alton, Bart.
Staffordshire,	Henry Charles Vernon, of Hilton Park, Esq.
	James Timmins Chance, of Handsworth, Esq.
	Colin Minton Campbell, of Wood Seat, Esq.
Suffolk,	Francis Capper Brooke, of Ufford-place, Esq.
	Robert Bussell Pettiward, of Great Finborough Hall, Esq.
	Thomas Harcourt Powell, of Drinkstone, Esq.
Surrey,	William Gilpin, of Palewell, Lodge, East Sheen, Esq.
	James More Molyneux, of Losely Park, Guildford Esq.

	Robert Carter, of The Grove, Epsom, Esq.
Sussex,	Colonel Francis Vernon Harcourt, of Buxted.
	Henry Peter Crofts, of the Abbotts, Sompting, Esq.
	Colonel George Kirwan Carr Lloyd, of Lancing.
Warwickshire,	James Dugdale, of Wroxhall Abbey, Esq.
	Edward Wood, of Newbold Revel, near Rugby, Esq.
	Evelyn Philip Shirley, of Eatington Park, Esq.
Westmoreland,	Hugh Rigg, of Crossrigg Hall, Morland, Penrith, Esq.
	Thomas Taylour (commonly called Lord Kenlis), of Underley Hall, Kirkby Lonsdale, Esq.
	James Christopher Wilson, of Low Nook, Ambleside, Esq.
Wiltshire,	Henry Calley, of Burderop Park, Esq.
	Charles John Thomas Conolly, of Cottles House, near Melksham, Esq.
	Ralph Ludlow Lopes, of Sandridge Park, Melksham, Esq.
Worcestershire,	Henry Sales Scobell, of The Abbey, Pershore, Esq.
	John Vincent Hornyold, of Blackmore Park, Great Malvern, Esq.
	Charles Michael Berington, of Little Malvern Court, Esq.
Yorkshire,	William Henry Harrison Broadley, of Welton, Esq.

Sir John William Ramsden, of Byram, Bart.
Thomas Richard Plumbe Tempest, of Tong Hall, Esq.

WALES.

North and South.

Anglesey, John Bodychen Sparrow, of Gwyndy, Esq.
William Griffith, of Bodowyr, Esq.
John Thomas Lambert, of Tan y Craig, Esq.

Breconshire, John Williams Morgan, of Bolgoed House, Esq.
Hugh Powel Price, of Castle Madoc, Esq.
John Evan Thomas, of Penishapentre, Esq.

Cardiganshire, James Loxdale of Castle Hill, near Aberystwith, Esq.
Alban Thomas Davies, of Tyglyn Aeron, Esq.
Caulfield Tynte Lloyd Williams, of Gwernant Park, Esq.

Carmarthenshire, John Lennox Griffiths Poyer Lewis, of Henllan, Esq.
William Henry Plowden, of Treventy, Esq.
Henry James Bath, of Alltyferin, Esq.

Carnarvonshire, Abram Jones Williams, of Gelliwig, Esq.
Edward Windus Mathew, of Wern, Esq.

	Charles Wynne Finch, of Cefnamwlch, Esq.
Denbighshire,	Richard Christopher Naylor, of Nantclwd, Esq.
	Sir Robert Alfred Cunliffe, of Acton Park, near Wrexham, Bart.
	Philip Henry Chambres, of Llysmeirchion, Esq.
Flintshire,	Thomas Hanmer Wynne, of Nerquis Hall, Esq.
	Richard Pelham Warren, of Hope Owen, Esq.
	Edmund Peel, of Bryn-y-pys, Esq.
Glamorganshire,	Thomas Penrice, of Kilvrough, House, near Swansea, Esq.
	John Whitlock Nicholl Carne, of Dimlands Castle, near Cowbridge, Esq.
	Richard Bassett, of Bonvilstone, Esq.
Merionethshire,	William Watkin Edward Wynne, of Peniarth, Esq.
	Spencer Bulkeley, Lord Newborough, of Festiniog.
	Richard John Lloyd Price, of Rhiwlas, Esq.
Montgomeryshire,	Major Joseph Davies, of Brynglas.
	William Fisher, of Maesfron, Esq.
	Edmund Henry Lyon Winder, of Vaenor Park, Esq.
Pembrokeshire,	Thomas Meyrick, of Bush, Esq.
	Mark Anthony Saurin, of Orielton, Esq.

	George Richards Graham Rees, of Penllwyn, Esq.
Radnorshire,	William Powell, of Llanfaredd, Esq.
	James Vaughan, of Llansaintfraid in Elvel, Builth, Esq.
	Charles Marsh Vialls, of Hendry, Esq.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Parliament which now stands prorogued to Tuesday, the twentieth day of November instant, be further prorogued to Tuesday, the fifteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and that the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain do cause a Commission to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Parliament accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York be prorogued from the day to which the same now stand prorogued to

Wednesday, the fifteenth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-seven, and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause Writs to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Convocations accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day the Right Honourable Sir FitzRoy Kelly, The Right Honourable Sir Hugh MacCalmont Cairns, The Right Honourable Sir Richard Torin Kindersley, and The Right Honourable Major-General Sir Henry Knight Storks, G.C.B., were, by Her Majesty's Command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council, was pleased to order that, from and after the publication hereof in the London Gazette, seamen, not being slaves, who, within Her Majesty's dominions, desert from merchant-ships belonging to the Kingdom of Siam, shall be liable to be apprehended and carried on board their respective ships: provided always, that if any such deserter has committed any crime in Her Majesty's dominions he may be detained until he has been tried by a competent Court, and until his sentence (if any) has been fully carried into effect.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that it shall and may be lawful for the Judge for the time being of Her Britannic Majesty's Supreme Consular Court for the dominions of the Sublime Ottoman Porte, by deputation or deputations in writing under his hand and the seal of the said Court, to authorize Her Majesty's Vice-Consul in Egypt (holding a commission as such from Her Majesty), or the Provincial Consular Court held by such Vice-Consul in Egypt, to exercise, within the limits of the district of the said Provincial Consular Court, such of the powers, authorities, and jurisdictions in criminal matters now vested in the said Supreme Consular Court, or in the Judge of the said Supreme Consular Court, as shall be specified in such deputation or deputations; and such powers, authorities, and jurisdictions shall and may thereupon be exercised by such Vice-Consul in Egypt, and such Provincial Consular Court respectively, within the district aforesaid.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that Abercorris, in the parish of Talyllyn and Dinas Mowddwy, in the parish of Mallwyd, in the county of Merioneth, shall be additional polling places for the said county.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve of Regulations for the management of Naval Savings Banks.

Windsor Castle, November 12, 1866.

This day had audience of Her Majesty :—

The Count de Vistahermosa, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Queen of Spain, to deliver his Credentials ;

The Baron de Hochschild, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the King of Sweden and Norway, to deliver his Credentials ;

Señor Manuel M. Mosquera, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the United States of Columbia, to deliver his Credentials ;

And Monsieur Geffiken, Minister Resident from the Hans Towns, to deliver his Credentials ;

To which audiences they were respectively introduced by Lord Stanley, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Windsor Castle, November 10, 1866.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon John Rolt, Esq., Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

Whitehall, November 10, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Daniel Gooch, of Clewer Park, in the county of Berks, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Curtis Miranda Lampson, of Rowfant, in the parish of Worth, in the county of Sussex, Esq., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

India Office, November 12, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Sir Henry Bartle Edward Frere, G.C.S.I., K.C.B., to be a Member of the Council of India.

St. James's Palace, November 9, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Brown, James Ellison, and Thomas Fairbank, Esqrs., jointly, to be Surgeon and Apothecary in Ordinary to Her Majesty's Household at Windsor.

War Office, November 12, 1866.

The Secretary of State for War has, as a temporary measure, appointed the House Surgeon of St. Bartholomew's Hospital, Rochester, as Visiting Surgeon at Chatham under "The Contagious Diseases Act, 1866."

War Office, Pall Mall,
13*th November*, 1866.

The Honourable Artillery Company of London.

The Queen has been pleased, on the recommendation of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales K.G., &c., &c., Captain-General and Colonel of the Honourable Artillery Company of London, to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Robert James Lloyd-Lindsay, late of the Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice the Right Honourable Charles John, Lord Colville, of Culross, who resigns.

India Office, 12th November, 1866.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps, made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Danvers Henry Osborn, late 54th Native Infantry. Dated 13th May, 1857.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Thomas Edward Gordon, 95th Foot. Dated 13th December, 1859.

Captain Francis David Millett Brown, V.C., 101st Foot. Dated 23rd August, 1864.

Captain Frederick Donnelly Harington, late 12th Native Infantry. Dated 30th November, 1865

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Thomas Augustus Scott, late 28th Native Infantry. Dated 18th May, 1858.

Lieutenant William Brereton Birch, late 21st Native Infantry. Dated 23rd December, 1858.

Lieutenant Alexander Dunlop Anderson, late 61st Native Infantry. Dated 15th July, 1859.

Lieutenant George Robert Gibbs, 20th Foot. Dated 18th March, 1860.

Lieutenant Horace Ralph Spearman, 91st Foot Dated 25th April, 1860.

Lieutenant George John Skinner, 38th Foot. Dated 22nd December, 1863.

Ensign Russell Thomas Birch, 20th Foot. Dated 11th March, 1865.

Cornet George Robert James Shakespear, 20th Hussars. Dated 20th June, 1865.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Henry William Blair, 105th Foot. Dated 18th November, 1859.

Admiralty, 12th November, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 11th instant:—

George Williams, Esq.
William Henry Petch, Esq.
Samuel Braddon, Esq.
Thomas Potter, Esq.
William Palmer Braund, Esq.
John W. Lowe, Esq.
Edward Martin Vincent, Esq.

The following promotions have this day been made:—

Mr. Robert Glasspole to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 4th December, 1865.

Mr. George Horatio Weeks to be First Class Assistant Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 26th October, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Duke of Lancaster's Own Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Thomas Harvey Kearsley to be Lieutenant, vice Eustace John Wilson Patten, resigned. Dated 31st October, 1866.

Charles Thomas Part, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Kearsley, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

Lanarkshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Sir Norman Macdonald Lockhart, Bart., to be Captain, vice George Vere Irving, resigned. Dated 29th October, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 16, 1866.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 10th day of *November*, 1866.

THE QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that the "West Indian Incumbered Estates Act, 1854," shall, from the date of this Order in Council, come into operation in the colony of Grenada.

Windsor Castle, November 10, 1866.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Samuel Canning, Esq.

Windsor Castle, November 10, 1866.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon William Thomson, Esq., LL.D.

Windsor Castle, November 10, 1866.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon James Anderson, Esq.

Windsor Castle, November 10, 1866.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon Samuel White Baker, Esq.

Crown Office, November 16, 1866.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Gloucester.

Western Division.

Sir John Rolt, Knt., Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

(1685.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 14, 1866.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affairs at Buenos Ayres, enclosing the following translation of the principal provisions of an Act recently passed by the Argentine Government, imposing additional import and export duties on merchandize entering and leaving the ports of that Republic:—

Art. 1. To meet the expenses required as by law of September 1, 1866, the National Executive is hereby authorised to emit Treasury Bills to the amount of four million hard dollars, with interest a $\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. a month, to count from the day of their delivery in payment until being amortized.

Art. 2. For the amortization and payment of interest on the above-mentioned Treasury Bills,

an additional impost of 5 per cent. is hereby put on all imports, excepting such articles as are comprised in Art. 3 of the present Custom-house Law, and 2 per cent. on all exports, payable cash down ; to count from thirty days after the promulgation of this law.

Art. 3, The duties on exports shall continue to be recovered after January 1, 1867, in case the National Chambers concedes to Congress the faculty of continuing to levy same ; in a contrary event the export duties shall cease on December 31st of the current year.

Art. 4. These bills will be amortized and received in payment, at all Custom-houses in the Republic, for the extra duties imposed by Art. 2.

Art. 5. The Custom-houses shall remit directly to the National Treasury such amount of these extra duties as has not been paid in Treasury Bills, for the amortization of same in such manner as the National Executive may determine.

(1693.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 15, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Buenos Ayres, enclosing translations of two revised Articles of the Argentine Constitution, effecting amendments in Article 4, and in paragraph 1, of Art 67 of the National Constitution of the Argentine Republic, whereby the limitation to 1866, of the power of the Federal Government to establish export duties in the States of the Union, prescribed by the provisions of the Articles in question, has been removed.

(1713.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 14, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Florence, reporting that all vessels arriving at Genoa from the United Kingdom, will be subjected to quarantine.

War Office, Pall Mall,
November 16, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards.

For Captain Baillie to be Major, by purchase, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, &c., which appeared in the Gazette of 5th June, 1866,

Read Captain Baillie to be Major, by purchase, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, *in the Army*, &c.

3rd Hussars, John Purefoy Ellis Jervoise, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Clarke, promoted. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Coldstream Guards.

For Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Strong to be Major, without purchase, with the rank of Colonel, &c., which appeared in the Gazette of 14th August, 1866.

Read Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Strong to be Major, without purchase, with the rank of Colonel *in the Army*, &c.

6th Regiment of Foot, Staff-Surgeon Alexander Dudgeon Gulland, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice

Surgeon-Major Alexander Peile Cahill, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 16th November, 1866.

16*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Pyne, to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Robert W. May Wetherell, promoted. Dated 16th November, 1866.

18*th Foot*, Ensign William Edward Chapman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Jamison Russell Russell, who retires. Dated 16th November, 1866.

20*th Foot*, Staff-Surgeon William Cattell to be Surgeon, vice G. P. Minchin Woodward, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 16th November, 1866.

24*th Foot*, Captain F. C. D'Epinay Barclay to be Major, without purchase, vice Thomas Clark, deceased. Dated 29th October, 1866.

Lieutenant John Christian Thomas to be Captain, without purchase, vice Barclay. Dated 29th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Robert C. Topham Atthill to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robert Geoffrey Augustus de Montmorency, who retires. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Ensign William Penn Symons to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Thomas. Dated 29th October, 1866.

Ensign Charles Erskine to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Atthill. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Edward James O'Hara Browne, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Symons. Dated 16th November, 1866.

William Sugden, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Erskine. Dated 17th November, 1866.

71*st Foot*, Serjeant-Major Peter Forbes to be Quartermaster, vice John James Macdonald, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 16th November, 1866.

73*rd Foot*, Captain Frederick Reeve to be Major, by purchase, vice William Henry Barry, who retires. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant George Sowley Holroyd to be Captain, by purchase, vice Reeve. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Ensign Robert Mitford to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Holroyd. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Richard Rawstron Young, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Mitford. Dated 16th November, 1866.

William Polson Thackwell, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice James Henry S. Rivett-Carnac, who retires. Dated 17th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Howel Gunter to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Holroyd, promoted. Dated 16th November, 1866.

86*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Hamilton Harvey Pitt Denning, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Alfred Wilson Cooper, deceased. Dated 16th November, 1866.

99*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Peter Frederick Newland to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice James Whynyates George Allen, dismissed the service by sentence of a General Court Martial. Dated 16th November, 1866.

104*th Foot*, The second Christian name of Ensign Sherwill is *Eeles*, and not *Ecles*, as stated in the Gazette of the 16th ultimo.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Lewis Vaughan Williams to be Captain, by purchase, vice John

Byron B. Coulson, who retires. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Ensign Harold Arthur Dillon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Williams. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Henry John Dutton, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Dillon. Dated 16th November, 1866.

2nd West India Regiment, Gentleman Cadet Osborn Charles Jones, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice MacGregor, promoted. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Cape Mounted Riflemen, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Robert Batho to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice E. L'Estrange, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 16th November, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Alexander Peile Cahill, M.D., from the 6th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Surgeon Alexander Dudgeon Gulland, M.D., appointed to the 6th Foot. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Surgeon George Paul Minchin Woodward, M.D., from the 20th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice W. Cattell, appointed to the 20th Foot. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Merrick Lloyd Burrows, M.D., to be Staff-Surgeon. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Edward L'Estrange, M.D., from the Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert Batho, appointed to the Cape Mounted Riflemen. Dated 16th November, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Major and Brevet-Colonel Dominic Jacotin Gamble, C.B., Unattached, having completed five years service as Deputy Quartermaster-General in New Zealand, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 11th June, 1866.

BREVET.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in succession to Major-General Sir Charles Warren, K.C.B., who died 27th October, 1866 :—

Brevet-Colonel J. H. E. Dalrymple, from half-pay, late Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Major-General. Dated 28th October, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major William Windham A. Lukin, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th October, 1866.

Captain Francis Rawdon Chesney, Royal Engineers, to be Major. Dated 28th October, 1866.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to have the honorary rank of Captain :—

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary Edward Rooke, Bengal Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy-Commissary Edward Smith, Bengal Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy-Commissary Francis Rose, Bengal Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary John Burnell, Bengal Commissariat Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary Philip Rubie, Bengal Commissariat Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant and Deputy - Commissary James Leonard, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy-Commissary William Harris, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary Thomas R. Ardagh, Madras Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary James Tomlinson. Madras Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant and Deputy - Commissary Charles David Magrath, Madras Commissariat Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy-Commissary Peter Curley, Madras Public WorksDepartment. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy-Commissary Henry Bailey, Madras Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy-Commissary Michael Howard, Madras Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Lieutenant and Deputy - Commissary Henry Purcell, Bombay Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy-Commissary Edward Stapleton, Bombay Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant :—

Assistant-Commissary William Smallman, Bengal Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Assistant-Commissary Edward J. Gillis, Bengal Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Assistant-Commissary Enoch Postance Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Assistant-Commissary Thomas Newbold, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Assistant-Commissary James Coohan, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866

Assistant-Commissary George Faiehnie, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Assistant-Commissary Henry Irving, Madras Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Assistant-Commissary Frederick Graham, Madras Public Works Department. Dated 16th No- 1866.

Assistant-Commissary John Davis, Bombay Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to have the honorary rank of Ensign :—

Deputy Assistant-Commissary J. MeArthur, Bengal Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary D. Oliver, Bengal Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary T. Marten, Bengal Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Pembroke, Bengal Commissariat Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Charles T. Hunter, Bengal Commissariat Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John M. Hamilton, Bengal Commissariat Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Martin Byrne, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Edward Quinn, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Doyle, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Forbes, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Charles Palphreyman, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Lynch, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Smith, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Matthews, Bengal Barrack Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary William Pritchard, Bengal Clothing Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary William Pattinson, Madras Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Rowland, Madras Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Thomas Eagles, Madras Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Croker, Madras Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary William Porter, Madras Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Gray, Madras Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Thomas Shore, Bombay Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Osborne, Bombay Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Edward Nale, Bombay Public Works Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Jackson, Bombay Quartermaster-General's Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Joseph Barnard, Bombay Barrack Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Alfred Edgiuton, Bombay Police. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Christopher Christian, Bombay Marine Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

Deputy Assistant Commissary Edward Allmark, Bengal Ordnance Department. Dated 16th November, 1866.

The Honourable Artillery Company of London.

The surname of the Officer appointed in Gazette of 13th instant is *Loyd*-Lindsay, not *Lloyd*-Lindsay, as then stated.

Admiralty, 13th November, 1866.

The Reverend John Kingston has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 15th November, 1866.

Dr. Alexander Armstrong has this day been promoted to the rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, for Special Services recorded at the Admiralty.

Commander James Bull has been this day promoted to be a Retired Captain, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

West Essex Yeomanry Cavalry.

Arundell Neave, late Captain 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice Sir William Wake, Bart., deceased. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Bertram George Scott Judd to be Cornet. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northampton.

Northamptonshire and Rutland Militia.

Spencer Pratt, Esq., to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th November, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 20, 1866.

Downing Street, November 17, 1866.

THE following despatches descriptive of the effects of the hurricane at the Bahamas and Turks Island have been received at the Colonial Office :—

Governor Rawson to the Earl of Carnarvon.

Government House, Nassau,
October 17, 1866.

My Lord,

I AM much grieved to have occasion to inform your Lordship that a violent and very destructive hurricane has just swept over these islands. It was undoubtedly a cyclone. The centre passed over New Providence on the 1st instant. The destruction of property, on land and at sea, has been very great throughout all the islands, and especially in New Providence. Happily the loss of life has been comparatively small. On this island only three deaths have been reported. On some of the out islands it has been greater. Considering the number of vessels, colonial and foreign, which have been wrecked throughout the Archipelago, it is surprising how few of the crews have been lost. I estimate the number, including five whole crews, two of colonial and three of foreign vessels, at between sixty and seventy persons.

2. Last year, only two or three days earlier, a hurricane, scarcely less violent, passed to the southward and westward of New Providence, and included the islands to the westward in its radius. On that

occasion the lighthouse yacht "Georgina" was cast ashore and lost But the inhabitants of this and the other islands do not appear to have taken warning from its occurrence; and the city of Nassau has for so many years enjoyed an immunity from visitations of this nature that they had ceased to apprehend one, and to take precautions against its violence.

3. The great hurricane of 1813 is said to have been as violent, but not nearly so destructive; partly, perhaps, on account of the great increase of property since that date. It is also said that the hurricane of 1796, which occurred on the 2nd of October, approached the nearest in violence to this one.

4. On Sunday evening, the 30th September, at Nassau, the wind, which had been blowing for some time from the north-east, began to freshen. During the night it increased. At 10 A.M. on the following day it was blowing with fearful violence from the same quarter, or from north; and from noon to 6 P.M. the hurricane raged without intermission. A deluge of rain accompanied the wind. At 7 o'clock the wind moderated and the rain ceased. At 7·30 P.M. there was a dead calm, and the stars appeared. The wind during that period had shifted to south, and at 9 P.M. it had risen again, with gradually-increasing violence, and accompanied with torrents of rain, and continued to blow until 2 A.M. when it moderated, and the rain ceased.

5. At daybreak a melancholy spectacle broke upon the inhabitants. In the harbour, every vessel and boat, except one, was driven ashore or had foundered. The road along the coast to the eastward was blocked up with colonial craft cast up high and dry. Her Majesty's ship "Nimble" was ashore in 6-feet water, having been driven from her moorings at 1 P.M. Of the two steam-tugs, one had foundered in the harbour, the other, the "General Clinch," respecting which I have had

occasion to write,* as the last of the three vessels which the Government of the United States claimed as the property of the late Confederate Government, had been dashed into countless pieces against the public wharf, after having crushed and inflicted a similar fate upon a colonial schooner. Fortunately the number of foreign vessels in the harbour was at the time small; bnt of colonial vessels and boats the number was great. Of the craft in the harbour†—

92	have been	totally destroyed;
97	,,	badly injured;
43	,,	slightly injured.

Upon these vessels a considerable portion of the population depended for their income, derived from fishing, sponging, and wrecking, and for the daily supplies of fish and of market-produce brought from the out islands.

6. On shore the city exhibited a scene scarcely less distressing. It would hardly have suffered so much from a bombardment. The streets were choked with the *débris* of fallen and unroofed houses and with prostrate trees.

7. Of the military buildings, one wing of the main barracks had been entirely unroofed. A considerable portion of the Ordnance storehouses had been levelled with the ground. The military hospital, just repaired and improved, had been unroofed, and parts of its walls blown down. One portion of the Commandant's residence had been blown down, the rest unroofed and greatly injured. Of the officers' quarters a considerable portion had been unroofed and their inmates (ten in number) dislodged.

8. All the public buildings have been more or less injured. The main building, containing the

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* December 14, 1865. † See Inclosure No. 1.

Court House and Council Chamber, has been unroofed; the old gaol was unroofed; the new one, in course of erection, has been partly blown down; Government House was unroofed. By 2 o'clock P.M., the wind had dashed in one or more windows or doors in every apartment on the upper story, used for purposes of residence or reception. My family had to take refuge in the offices on the ground floor, and to leave the building next day for a private house, which was luckily vacant and had escaped with little damage. The Wesleyan Chapel, just finished at a heavy expense and not yet paid for, was entirely destroyed. Two other chapels were blown down. The Cathedral and other churches, and most of the school-houses, are more or less injured.

9. Scarcely a warehouse or store has escaped destruction or severe injury. Many of these were roofed with metal, and of such only one escaped. The loss of the mercantile community in this description of property, and by the injury to their stocks of goods, is very great.

10. I inclose an abstract of the information obtained by the police as to the extent of injury done to house property throughout the island.* It is necessarily imperfect to some extent, and it does not include the injuries done to outhouses, fences, orchards, gardens, &c., which add considerably to the losses of the population. But your Lordship will be able to form from it some idea of the calamity which has befallen this island, containing, perhaps, 12,000 to 13,000 inhabitants, of whom the greater portion reside in the city and its suburbs. The list includes—

617 houses destroyed.
609 ditto injured.
17 warehouses destroyed.

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* Inclosure No. 2.

18 ditto injured.
12 shops destroyed.
17 ditto injured.
5 school-houses destroyed.
2 ditto injured.
5 churches and chapels destroyed.
3 ditto injured.
1 theatre destroyed.
1,034 persons made houseless.

11. The accounts from the out islands are, as yet, hurried and incomplete; but we know that every one, without exception, was visited by the storm, and that on all greater or less injury has been inflicted. I regret to say that almost all have been severely injured. Magua alone appears to have escaped with trifling damage.

12. I have collated in Inclosure No. 3 all the authentic information which has reached me concerning them. The almost universal report is:—many public buildings and houses blown down; most of those left standing, injured; vessels and boats destroyed, or badly injured; forest trees and orchards uprooted, or stripped of their leaves and fruit; grain and root crops destroyed; the herbage blasted and blackened; and the wells and water tanks impregnated by the surge which burst over many parts of these narrow islands and cays, or by the salt spray which swept them all. In one instance a small cay has disappeared with the buildings and trees which existed upon it.

13. Scarcely a month has elapsed since I wrote in my Annual Report, that I anticipated next year a substantial and rapid advance in the prosperity and wealth of these islands. This prospect has vanished for the present, and the Colony will have to struggle for some time with diminished means to recover its lost ground, and to overcome the moral discouragement which the destruction of its rising hopes has inflicted upon it.

14. The pressure will be most felt in the out islands, where the greater part of the population live upon the produce of their fields, with no opportunity of earning wages as labourers, and where there are few gentry or persons of capital or enterprise capable of aiding them in time of distress, or of stimulating them to industry. The resource which this class of the population used in times of scarcity to find in the fruits and berries of the forests, has on this occasion been cut off, and the accounts which have been received of their present condition and prospects, and the appeals for immediate supplies of food to prevent impending starvation, are most distressing. The destruction of their standing crops and boats has not only deprived them of their present means of subsistence, but will keep them in the same state until fresh crops can be sown and gathered, a period of at least two or three months.

15. In Nassau, I am happy to report, affairs wear brighter aspect. An amount of self-help, neighbourly kindness, and cheerfulness has been displayed which is most creditable to the people, and has afforded me the greatest satisfaction and encouragement. The weather has been very fine since the storm ceased, and the population has been actively engaged in repairing their houses and boats. Full employment has been given to all who are able and willing to work; wages have risen; merchants and tradesmen have profited by a rise in the prices of building materials and provisions,—though be it said to their credit that some of these have furnished the Government with provisions destined for the relief of the out islands at cost price; a large number of wrecks and wrecked cargoes have been brought in, and certain classes of the inhabitants have thus found some compensation for the damage done to their properties. In confirmation of the above, I may mention that the applications to the

Relief Committees for food or other eleemosynary assistance have been very few.

16. I annex such further information as I have been able to collect with respect to the ravages of the storm :—

(1.) An abstract of the injuries done to the public buildings in New Providence, with the Civil Engineer's estimate of the cost of repairs, amounting, with the injuries done to roads and streets, not included in the estimate, to about 9,000*l.*

(2.) An abstract of the injuries done at the several lighthouse stations.

(3.) An abstract of the injuries done to the several public school-houses, as far as known.

(4.) An abstract of the injuries done to buildings belonging to the Church of England (exclusive of churches belonging to the Colonial Government) in the several islands, estimated by the Bishop of the Diocese at 5,000*l.*

(5.) An abstract and detailed Return of Wrecks and Casualties to Foreign-going Vessels, as far as known.

17. Captain Chatfield, R.N., commanding Her Majesty's ship "Nimble," is preparing a chart of the course of the hurricane, of which, and of his report thereon, I hope to be able to forward a copy by the next mail. At present I will only state that it passed over or near the Turk's Islands, followed the edge of the Great Bahama Bank, sweeping all the inhabited islands in that direction; continued its north-westerly course after crossing New Providence; was felt at Key West and in Chesapeake Bay, on the coast of the United States; curved to the northward and eastward with the Gulf Stream, and was felt in its full force half-way between Cape Hatteras and Bermuda,—the usual course of hurricanes in these seas.

18. The following are the measures which I have taken to meet the emergency :—

19. I employed the only available vessel in the harbour, which arrived on the day after the storm, having been out of the range of its greatest fury, to visit several of the uninhabited cays in the neighbourhood, upon which it was expected that some of the sponging vessels would be wrecked. On its first trip it brought in twenty-nine men, the crews of six vessels, whom it had picked up on the cays, naked and starving.

20. I invited the members of the Legislative Council and House of Assembly, most of whom reside in Nassau, to meet me for the purpose of consulting with them as to the most convenient measures to be taken, and to apprize them of my intention of holding an Extraordinary Session of the Legislature on the earliest possible day—the 6th November, to which date the meeting of the Houses stood prorogued. I am happy to say that the members entered cordially into my views, and indicated their readiness to support the measures founded upon them.

21. I had appointed a Relief Committee for the city, composed of leading public officers. I then added to it branch Committees for the several districts of the city and islands, consisting chiefly of members of the two Houses; having for their special duties the objects described in the inclosed copy of the notice appointing them.

22. The police and Receiver-General were charged with the duty of ascertaining the nature and extent of the damage done to buildings and shipping.

23. Finding that these inquiries had to some extent created an impression that the Government was preparing to undertake the reconstruction of the dwellings of the poor, I added to the notice last mentioned a paragraph for the purpose of disabusing the public mind of such an erroneous notion.

24. It has been my endeavour in all the measures which I have adopted or sanctioned, in my commu-

nications with all classes of persons, including residents in the several districts which I have visited, and in which I have taken the opportunity of conversing with many of the sufferers, and of encouraging them to hopefulness and exertion, to discountenance the idea of charitable relief, to inspire them with feelings of independence and self-help, and to hold out the prospect of public aid only for the purposes of restoring the productive powers of the community, as by the repairing of their vessels and boats, the planting of their fields, &c.

25. I have sent to Cuba for a supply of seed-corn, and I shall procure one of cotton seed—the former for sale, the latter for distribution.

26. I have been obliged to send supplies, but limited in quantity, to a number of settlements in the out islands. I have in each case employed some responsible officer to distribute them, and required him to dispose of them on credit to all persons who may hereafter be able to repay the advance by money or labour, and to relieve gratuitously only those who have no means, present or prospective, of repayment.

27. I have called upon the several out-island magistrates to report in detail upon the damage done in their respective districts, and I hope to be able to transmit to your Lordship by the next mail a more complete statement of the extent of it.

28. I anticipate being under the necessity of raising a loan of moderate amount, but I hope to avoid recourse to the English market. I may perhaps be able to avail myself of the opportunity of obtaining a moderate circulation of Government notes, which will be a great convenience to the public, under arrangements which, I trust, will be found unobjectionable, and which will be submitted for approval before adoption.

I have, &c.

(Signed) RAWSON W. RAWSON,
Governor.

President Moir to Governor-in-chief.

Government House, Grand Turk,
October 4, 1866.

SIR,

IT is with deep regret that I have to report to your Excellency the destruction and loss of many lives and much property in this Colony from the effects of a very violent hurricane which passed over us on Sunday the 30th September last.

2. The weather, though somewhat wild-looking on Saturday evening, did not make us anxious, nor did the barometer, which stood at 29° 80′, give warning of coming change. During the night, however, the wind increased, and towards daylight on Sunday morning I was induced to look at the glass, when I found it had sunk to 29° 40′. It was then blowing half a gale of wind, and Mrs. Moir having hastily dressed herself and the children sought safety in the lower part of Government House As soon as it was light enough I discerned that the wind blew from north to north-east, and that a heavy sea was running. A brig, two steamers, and three sloops were endeavouring to ride it out nearly opposite to and under the lee of the land on which Government House was built, and before the deluge of rain came down I saw some people making for shore, but by that time I was glad to fasten up every opening to windward both of the main building and of the surrounding enclosed verandah, and abandoning everything up stairs seek shelter with my family below. I fortunately carried my aneroid (No. 10,427) with me, and from time to time examining it, I found it indicating a steady increase of the gale, and about 12·30 o'clock, when a temporary lull took place, it had sunk to 28° 50′.

3. By this time the verandah and steps leading to the upper part of the house had gone, the wind had penetrated to the bed-room and dressing-room, of which that portion of the house consisted, and

swept out of them much personal property; the roof of the water-tank had been carried off and smashed; the office, with all its valuable public documents and books, thrown down in utter ruin; the stone stable and wooden pen demolished, killing a large calf and injuring a carriage horse; the coach-house lifted off its foundation and blown clear over the remains of the office at the end of which it had stood, leaving my carriage standing in its place with little or no damage done to it; out-buildings, gateways, stone enclosure walls felled; date, cocoanut, tamarind, and other trees uprooted, doubled down to the ground, broken to pieces or snapped off as with a lightning stroke, and every tree and bush left with the appearance as if fire had passed over them.

4. During this lull in the storm, I thought I saw some people a little to leeward, and I was very thankful to shelter fourteen poor people, one woman and a child, who had narrowly escaped a watery grave, from one of the sloops above referred to. They reported to me that the brig, two schooners, and one sloop, had broken from their anchorage and gone, where they knew not; that another sloop had been run ashore and the people saved; while their own vessel had gone on the reef soon after they abandoned her. Sending a man-servant up to save what clothing and property might be left in the bed-room, I myself hastened to the office with two of the saved crew, and picked up all the books and papers I could find amidst the ruins. We had barely time to accomplish this, when the gale sprung with renewed violence from east-south-east to south-east, and, flying to the old house, we had the utmost difficulty in closing every door and window, and nailing battens across to keep them in their places, before the hurricane, accompanied this time with little or no rain, was down afresh on us

and, to my dismay, amidst the howling of the wind, mingled with spindrift from the sea, carrying with it vast quantities of salt and sand, and the uproar of falling beams and portions of the new house, the faithful barometer steadily fell till it reached 27° 20′, having gone back to that figure from 29° 80′ in less than twelve hours.

5. Having done all I could for safety, we had only to watch the fastenings, and call on our Heavenly Father for protection and the speedy abatement of the most terrific hurricane that has ever visited these islands within the memory of any now living here. Carrying the barometer in a side-pocket, and consulting it from time to time, I was most thankful to see it rest in its downward course, and at last, about 1·30 o'clock, to have a tendency to rise, which it thenceforth did rapidly till 8 o'clock, when it had reached 29°. It then seemed to hesitate, but again more gradually ascended, till at 10 o'clock at night it resumed its former marking of 29° 80′. The wind still blew stiffly on Monday, and had gone more to the southward, but, fortunately for us, no further, else the whole of the front portion of Grand Turk would have been washed into the sea.

6. Living between two and three miles from town, and with no neighbours, I have endeavoured so far to give your Excellency my own personal experience, and the result of my own limited observation. I must now present a more distressing picture of this awful visitation in the town of Grand Turk and in other portions of the Colony, together with the ascertained loss of lives and shipping on our coasts.

7. So soon as I could procure a change of clothing and a horse, with some substitute for saddle and bridle (my saddlery having been all buried), I rode to town, and witnessed such fearful ruin and destruction as could not fail to mournfully affect

the most callous heart. Houses and buildings of all kinds torn down, wholly or partially destroyed, unroofed, some to windward some to leeward, many twisted round at all angles but that at which they had been built; stores flooded, or through which the sea had passed; all sorts of lumber and furniture scattered far and wide; roads and salt-ponds one unbroken sheet of salt water; the street facing the west torn up into a mass of stone and sand; wharfs and stone abutments, flagstaffs, and many buildings demolished or washed away, and most of the other streets so blocked up with *débris* as to be passable only with difficulty. Add to this the sight of great numbers of houseless poor, either seeking for shelter or among the ruins of their huts for portions of their property; the silent horror and misery depicted in the countenances of all you met; and the pressing anxiety of what must be done, and that speedily, for the alleviation of distress; and your Excellency may imagine my state of mind, and the responsibility which I felt was resting upon me.

8. I saw each of the members of my Executive Council, and clergymen; arranged for a meeting of the magistrates and ministers of the Gospel on the morrow; saw that the church and two chapels were opened for the reception of the houseless; that many Christian-hearted people had thrown wide their doors for a similar purpose; and that many of the merchants had distributed bales of blankets and some provisions amongst the destitute poor. I managed also to get as far the Poorhouse, which was much injured, but I found that the aged and helpless had all been mercifully preserved. Only ten prisoners happened to be in gaol, and the gaolor most fortunately liberated them ere the whole roof and portions of the stone building were dashed to the ground. The rector I found at the church (where some of the windows had been destroyed and

the organ broken up), awaiting the arrival of dead bodies for burial, it having been ascertained that fifteen persons had lost their lives from various accidents during the hurricane, most of whom, however, had to be buried where they lay.

9. On Tuesday the 2nd October I met my Councillors, the Magistrates, and Ministers of Religion, at the Council Chamber, the roof of which had been bodily removed some six or eight inches to the north-westward and some of the windows broken in; and then having ascertained that only about fifteen days' provisions remained on the island for the purpose of supporting the destitute, I recommended that one soup kitchen should be established in the gaol yard and one at Mr. Talbot's on the other side of the town pond, and that by thus economizing our resources we could supply the indigent with at least one good meal each day. The gentlemen present agreed to meet each day at 10 o'clock A.M., to receive and judge of the propriety of each application for tickets, and to grant the same to the helpless, while the able-bodied were to be offered work, and receive a good bowl of meat soup for the lowest current coin, $1\frac{1}{2}d$.

10. I do myself the honour of inclosing two proclamations and a hand-bill, which were issued early on the following morning, and which I trust will be approved of by your Excellency and the Secretary of State. I also annex reports furnished to me from Salt Cay and East Harbour, from the public medical officer, from the Surveyor of Public Works, and from two gentlemen whom I employed to make a house-to-house visitation, for the purpose of, as speedily as possible, furnishing Her Majesty's Government with as correct accounts of the catastrophe as it was in my power to procure.

11. The general proximate facts which I gather from these reports, my own inquiries and personal observation, may be summarized thus:—

SUMMARY.

	Lives lost on Shore at	Lives lost at Sea off	Persons seriously injured.	Ditto slightly injured.	Dwelling and Out-houses destroyed.	Ditto greatly injured.	Ditto slightly injured.	Vessels lost and missing.	Vessels disabled.	Salt-boats and Fishing-boats lost.	Bushels of Salt lost.
Grand Turk ..	16	..	24	160	726	167	All now standing	18 in all	1	Almost all	About 1,200,000
Salt Cay ..	5	Supposed to be 29	2	..	69	..			..		
East Caicos ..	..	..	..	..	76	30			3		
	21	29	26	160	871	197	..	18	4	—	—

All the tanks of fresh water so filled with sand and impregnated with salt water as to be most unpleasant and in some instances unfit for human use.

12. The soil in this Colony being unproductive of any food except guinea corn and sweet potatoes, all of which must have been destroyed, our claimants' wants are—

1. Food of all kinds and fresh water.
2. Lumber and shingles of all kinds.
3. Clothing ready made or cast off for the poorer classes and children.

6th October, 1866.—13. Writing this despatch amidst the direst confusion and constant calls for my personal attention elsewhere, I hope I may not have made any important omission, but I feel sure that if such there be every allowance will be made for the trouble and difficulty in which I am so unexpectedly involved. A sheet has this morning been issued from our local press which, on glancing over, I think corroborates what I have written in every material point; and I also annex a copy of it to this despatch.

8th October, 1866.—14. The mail-boat came into harbour on Saturday the 6th, and was able only to-day to discharge her cargo, and I now dispatch her at once for St. Thomas; but as it is doubtful whether she will catch the English mail for Jamaica, I believe your Excellency will approve of my sending a copy of this despatch direct to the Colonial Office for the information of Her Majesty's Government.

I have, &c.

(Signed) ALEX. MOIR, *President.*

President Moir to the Governor-in-chief.

Government House, Grand Turk,
October 18, 1866.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to report, in continuance of my despatch of the 4th to the 8th instant, that so soon as the heavy sea that was running after the hurricane of the 30th ultimo would permit a boat to live, I dispatched the Provost Marshal to Salt Cay to ascertain all particulars, to inform the magistrates and clergy of what was being done for the distressed poor at this island, and to advise them to establish a soup kitchen without delay. I instructed the Provost Marshal to then proceed to Cotton Cay, and to make diligent search there, as perhaps some of the wrecked crews might have been cast ashore, either dead or alive.

2. Both of these duties were performed by Mr. Moxey to my satisfaction, and I annex a copy of his Report, dated the 6th, and received by me on the 9th instant.

3. On the following day, the 10th, the boat which I had dispatched to East Harbour returned, and brought up those who remained of the crews of the several schooners which had been wrecked at or near Sapodilla Bay and Five Cays. These schooners were named "Reform," "Palestine," "Zambezi," and "Reaper." The captain and one of the men of the "Palestine," and one of the crew of the "Reaper," had been drowned. Besides these, a boat containing Lambert Wilson, his son, and a lad, and another boat containing John Williams, and fourteen other persons, have all been lost or not heard of since the hurricane.

4. I have received such imperfect accounts through East Harbour from the lower settlements in the Caicos group, that I dispatched a small schooner, with some provisions and clothing, putting them in charge of two assistant schoolmasters, who

are not at present otherwise employed, instructing them to use discretion in the distribution, and to bring me at the earliest moment the fullest information they could collect. I look for their return in about eight or ten days. I have, however, already heard that at Bombarra and Couch Bar, out of forty-eight houses standing before the hurricane, only three and the Baptist chapel now remain, and that at Lorrimers, the largest settlement in the Caicos, only three houses have been left. I believe also there has been some loss of life, but I have as yet no reliable report on the subject to forward to your Excellency.

5. I have been to town some portion of each day, and can bear testimony to the untiring energy and zeal with which the Relief Committee, with Judge Duncombe as Chairman, is discharging its arduous duties. The soup kitchens are working most satisfactorily, mainly under the active superintendence of our worthy Rector, the Rev. Mr. Dillon, who has had great experience in such matters. On the 9th instant a schooner from New York arrived with provisions, which, in a great measure, relieves my mind as to an immediate scarcity of food. Four houses were provided by Wednesday evening, the 10th instant, to receive those who had previously been occupying the church and chapels, in order that these might be prepared for the services of the following day, which I had appointed as a day of humiliation and thanksgiving. The people are beginning to put together the remnants of their late dwellings to afford them some temporary shelter until lumber and shingles shall arrive to enable them to procure better habitations. Large quantities of the wreck and ruins have been cleared away. The different canals from the reservoirs to the sea have been opened up, and much of the water run off; and as we have hitherto been favoured with

fine mild weather, things in general begin to wear a less desolate aspect, and people to be more hopeful.

6. I fear it will not be in my power to procure a report from the Relief Committee or from the Inspector of Public Works, of the amount of relief granted, or of the public money as yet expended to send by this mail; but when I shall have heard from Salt Cay, and East Harbour, and the other Caicos Settlements, I shall take care to forward the fullest information on these points to your Excellency.

7. In the meantime I am making use of the Crown funds for these purposes, and when the Members of Council can be collected in Legislative Session I shall no doubt procure from them a vote to cover immediate and prospective advances to meet this extraordinary expenditure. Most fortunately our finances are in a favourable condition; as from a Return which I have just procured from the Receiver-General, I find that on the day previous to the hurricane, there was of General Revenue at Grand Turk, in cash, 1,721*l.* 10*s.* 5*d.*; in bonds, 2,470*l.* 4*s.* 3*d.*; Salt Cay, in cash, 53*l.* 3*s.*; total 4,244*l.* 17*s.* 8*d*; and of Crown Funds at Grand Turk, in cash, 1,440*l.* 15*s.* 1*d.*; Salt Cay, 200*l.* 9*s.* 2*d.*; Salt Cay, in deposit for Church Wall, 17*l.* 16*s.* 10*d.*; total, 1,659*l.* 1*s.* 1*d.*

What has been lost at East Harbour I am as yet unable to report. Of course all this will go but a little way in restoring public buildings and property destroyed, but I trust that the assistance which the Relief Committee may receive from abroad will preclude the necessity of any extraordinary revenue having to be raised from a community which can ill afford additional taxation.

8. It having been reported that lights had been seen at Sand Cay and Ambergris Cay, I despatched a boat to each place lest some unfortunates should

have been cast ashore on one or both of these islands. Copies of Reports from those to whom I intrusted this duty are annexed to this despatch. I also subjoin a slip from the local paper of Saturday last.

I have, &c.
(Signed) ALEXR. W. MOIR.

P.S —I have pursued a similar course in this instance as I did, I hope with the approval of your Excellency, with my despatch No. 90, and have transmitted a copy of it to Downing Street direct.
A. W. M.

Whitehall, November 20, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Alexander Fridge to the church and parish of Lunan, in the presbytery of Aberbrothock, and county of Forfar, void by the transportation of the Reverend John Hay to the church and parish of Inverkeilor.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend John McLean to the church and parish of Kilchoman, in the presbytery of Isla and Jura and Isle of Islay, void by the death of the Reverend John Dewar, late Minister thereof.

Erratum.—The following Notice is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of Tuesday, the 13th instant :—

St. James's Palace, November 9, 1866.

Consequent upon the resignation of Henry Brown, Esq., the Queen has been pleased to appoint James Ellison and Thomas Fairbank, Esqrs., jointly, to be Surgeon and Apothecary to Her Majesty's Household at Windsor.

India Office, November 19, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Robert Seymour Vesey Fitzgerald, Esq., Governor of Bombay.

Admiralty, 16*th November*, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Schomberg Kerr to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 20*th November*, 1866.

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure Admiral Sir George Francis Seymour, G.C.B., G.C.H., has this day been promoted to be Admiral of the Fleet, and in consequence thereof the following flag promotions, also dated this day, have been made :—

Vice-Admiral Thomas Wren Carter, C.B., on the Retired List, to be Admiral on the same List.

Vice-Admiral Sir Thomas Sabine Pasley, Bart., to be Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Rear-Admiral Honourable Joseph Denman to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Astley Cooper Key, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ross.

Sir Charles Munro, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain James Dixon Mackenzie to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Charles Addington Hanbury, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Fitzgerald Lockhart Ross Murray, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Roderick Grogan Mackenzie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

John Charles William Paul Grabam, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

James Fletcher, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

John Fowler, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Lieutenant Paul John Henry Butler to be Captain. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Edward Anthony Ledgard to be Captain. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Lieutenant William Stephen Rayner to be Captain. Dated 13th November, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 23, 1866.

Duchy of Cornwall Office,
Buckingham Gate, S. W.,
November 22, 1866.

THE names of the Gentlemen who have been nominated to serve the office of Sheriff of the county of Cornwall :—

Thomas Simon Bolitho, of Penalverne, Esq.,

Sir John Salusbury Trelawny, of Trelawny, Bart.

John Whitehead Peard, of Penquite, Esq.

War Office, November 23, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of George Frederic Verdon, Esq., Treasurer for the Colony of Victoria, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, November 21, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. William W. Averell as Consul-General for the British North American Provinces for the United States of America.

War Office, November 22, 1866.

The Queen has appointed Captain Augustus Chetham Strode, Royal Navy, to be Captain of the Port for the City and Garrison of Gibraltar.

Queen's Commission.

Hants Infantry Militia.

Captain David Jackson, late Quartermaster 90th Foot, to be Quartermaster, from the 24th October, 1866, vice Hives, resigned.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Montgomery.

Royal Montgomeryshire Militia.

Major George Beadnell to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Pryce, deceased. Dated 21st November, 1866.

Captain John Heyward Heyward to be Major, vice Beadnell, promoted. Dated 21st November, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 27, 1866.

Whitehall, November 26, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Robert Monsey, Baron Cranworth; the Right Honourable Richard, Baron Westbury; the Right Honourable Sir Hugh McCalmont Cairns, Knt., a Judge of the Court of Appeal in Chancery; the Right Honourable Sir James Plaisted Wilde, Knt., Judge Ordinary, of the Court of Probate and Divorce; the Right Honourable Robert Lowe; Sir William Page Wood, Knt., a Vice-Chancellor; Sir George Bowyer, Bart.; Sir Roundell Palmer, Knt.; Sir John George Shaw Lefevre, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath; Sir Thomas Erskine May, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath; William Thomas Shave Daniel, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel; Henry Thring, Esq., and Francis Savage Reilly, Esq., Barristers-at-Law; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to inquire into the expediency of a Digest of Law, and the best means of accomplishing that object, and of otherwise exhibiting in a compendious and accessible form the Law as embodied in Judicial Decisions.

Whitehall, November 26, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting

unto Admiral Sir William Bowles, K.C.B., the office or place of Vice-Admiral of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and Lieutenant of the Admiralty thereof, in the room of Admiral Sir George Francis Seymour, G.C.B., promoted to be Admiral of the Fleet.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting unto Admiral Sir Phipps Hornby, G.C.B., the office or place of Rear-Admiral, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the Admiralty thereof, in the room of the said Admiral Sir William Bowles.

Whitehall, November 26, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Richard Atwood Glass, Esq.

Whitehall, November 26, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Edward Meyrick Goulburn, D.D., the Deanery of Her Majesty's Cathedral Church of Norwich, void by the death of George Pellew, D.D.

Foreign Office, November 24, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Enrique Kendall as Consul in London for the Republic of Chile.

Crown Office, November 24, 1866.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Wexford.

Arthur Kavanagh, Esq., of Borris, in the county of Carlow, in the room of John George, Esq., who has accepted the office of one of the Judges of the Court of Queen's Bench in Ireland.

Borough of Belfast.

Charles Lanyon, of The Abbey, near Belfast, in the county of Antrim, Esq., Civil Engineer, in the room of Sir Hugh McCalmont Cairns, Knt., who has accepted the office of one of the Judges of the Court of Appeal in Chancery.

November 27.

County of Pembroke..

James Bevan Bowen Esq,, in the room of George Lort Phillips, Esq., deceased.

(1758.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 27, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Buenos Ayres, inclosing the following translation of the Argentine Custom House Law for 1867, and completing the information

given by the notice published in the London Gazette of the 16th November :—

CUSTOM-HOUSE LAW FOR 1867,

Chapter 1st.—Imports.

Art. 1st. Gold or silver coined or in bullion, books, printing paper, plants of every kind, fresh fruits, ice, fire-wood, charcoal, cattle for breeding, are free of duty ; as also Indian corn brought overland.

Art. 2nd. The Executive is authorised to allow to be imported duty free all seeds for agriculture, and such articles as may be exclusively intended for Divine worship and ordered by curates or heads of religious fraternities ; also scientific instruments, machinery for amalgamating metals or for the establishment of new industries, tools or furniture belonging to immigrants, and articles exclusively intended for the use of the latter.

Art. 3rd. Silks, precious stones (unset), gold and silver wrought or manufactured with or without precious stones, and all instruments or utensils with handle or mounting of the above metals when such enhance them by one-third of their value, shall pay ten per cent. ad valorem.

Art. 4th. All articles not hereinbefore expressed shall pay eighteen per cent.

Art. 5th The tare allowable on wines, spirits, liquors, beer in cask, and vinegar, shall be calculated according to the port of clearance of the vessel, and only in the first port of the Republic where she enters viz.: ten per cent. for ports beyond the Line, six per cent. on this side, and three per cent. for ports within the Capes at the mouth of La Plata. The breakage allowable

for wines, spirits, liquors, beer, vinegar, and oil, in bottles, shall be five per cent.

Chapter 2nd.—Exports.

Art. 6th. Cow and horse hides of every kind, mule and sheep skins, and skins in general, hide-cuttings, salted and jerked beef, salted tongues, ostrich feathers, bones, bone-ash, horns and horn-tips, hair and wool washed or unwashed, animal oil. grease and tallow melted or in cask, and live stock of horses, cows or sheep, shall pay six per cent. ad valorem.

Art. 7th All other produce or manufacture not above mentioned, as also gold or silver coined or in bullion, are free of export duty.

Chapter 3rd.—Calculation of Duties.

Art. 8th. The duties shall be arranged by Vistas, and calculated in the case of imports on the value of the goods in deposit, and in exports on their value in market at the time of exportation. excepting such as may, by their nature, be previously classified and valuated ; and in the latter case the duties shall be set down in a tariff of valuation formed on the same basis of prices.

Art. 9th. The Executive shall designate and fix the valuation on the goods and products to be included in said tariff.

Art. 10th. The export duties shall be paid cash, and in the first place of embarkation, being goods dispatched direct for foreign ports, and such cannot be sent by water from one part of the Republic to another without first paying duties or giving a guarantee in the manner the Executive may determine. Parties exporting live stock are excepted as regards the obligation of paying the duties cash, and may give bills at four months on stamped paper in the usual way.

CHAPTER 4TH.—GENERAL RULES.

Art. 11th. The payment of duties in any of the Custom-houses of the Republic may be made in any of the monies specified by the law of October 26th, 1863, or in paper money of the Province of Buenos Ayres, or in Bolivian silver at the current rate in market, or in specie certificates of the Provincial Bank. The national copper currency will not be received at a higher proportion than two per cent. of the sum payable, and all negotiable documents are excluded in the payment of duties.

Art. 12th. In the Custom-houses of the Province of Corrientes the duties may be discharged in the paper money of the said province (until its amortization) at the current rate in market.

Art. 13th. Goods that have paid duties in any port of the Republic may pass freely through the whole territory; but transit overland is prohibited for such as have not paid duties, excepting goods in transit to Concordia or Brazilian ports on the Uruguay viâ Federacion or Restauracion, and from Paraguay to Brazil or the Oriental Republic viâ Restauracion and Federacion.

Art. 14th. This law shall hold from January, 1st 1867, to December 31st of the same year.

Passed through Congress on September 24th, 1866.

Signed by the National Executive and promulgated, October 3rd, 1866.

PAZ,
L. GONSALEZ.

War Office, Pall Mall,
27th November, 1866.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Troop Serjeant Major Henry Murphy to be Quartermaster,

vice John Bradbury, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 27th November, 1866.

4th Dragoon Guards, Surgeon James William Fleming, having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 27th October, 1866.

3rd Hussars, Robert George Dickson, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice George William Eccles Hunter, promoted. Dated 27th November, 1866.

The appointment of Lieutenant Charles E. Nettles as Adjutant to bear date 1st August, 1866, and not 16th October, 1866 as previously gazetted.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Neil Douglas Cecil F. Douglas to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Robert Augustus Dalzell, who retires. Dated 27th November, 1866.

8th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant John Randle Minshull Ford to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Nicholl James Bradford, who retires. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Ensign Francis Moore to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ford. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Ensign George Villiers Turner, from the 73rd Foot, to be Ensign, vice Moore. Dated 27th November, 1866.

13th Foot, Ensign Arthur Parry Rogers to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Drought E. Mooney, who retires. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Edward Charles Harris, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase; vice Rogers. Dated 27th November, 1866.

16th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Robert Coleman Eaton to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice J. R.

Kehoe, appointed to the Staff. Dated 27th November, 1866.

19*th Foot*, John Joseph Westenra Smith, Esq, to be Paymaster, vice Wray, transferred to the 3rd Foot. Dated 27th November, 1866.

41*st Foot*, Lieutenant John Caulfield to be Captain, without purchase, vice Francis Michell, deceased. Dated 28th October, 1866.

Ensign Harvey Hamilton Kelly to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Caulfield. Dated 28th October, 1866.

Ensign Thomas Richard Bate to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kelly, whose promotion by purchase, on the 30th October, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Ensign William Maitland Meecham, from the 89th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Bate. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet John Olans Champion Möller, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice John Le Marchant Seymour, deceased. Dated 27th November, 1866.

42*nd Foot*, Arthur Henry Johnstone Douglas, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice W. W. Dundas, transferred to the 60th Foot. Dated 27th November, 1866.

56*th Foot*, Surgeon William Deeble, having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 27th October, 1866.

60*th Foot*, Ensign Henry Adam F. Fergusson Coventry to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sholto Douglas, who retires. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Ensign William Walter Dundas, from the 42nd Foot, to be Ensign, vice Coventry. Dated 27th November, 1866.

70th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George A. Ryan to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Thomas Edmund Mulock, C.B., who retires upon full-pay. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Arthur Saltmarshe to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Ryan. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Arthur Stronge Gilbert to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Saltmarshe. Dated 27th November, 1866.

73rd Foot, George Day Maybury, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Turner, transferred to the 8th Foot. Dated 27th November, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Assistant-Surgeon Joseph Richard Kehoe, from the 16th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice R. C. Eaton, appointed to the 16th Foot. Dated 27th November, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Lieutenant Charles Fraser, from the 13th Foot, and Lieutenant of a Company of Cadets, Royal Military College, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 27th November, 1866.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas E. Mulock, C.B., 70th Foot, retired upon full-pay, to have the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Major St. George Mervyn Nugent, half-pay, Unattached, and Assistant Quartermaster-General, Nova Scotia, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th October, 1866.

Quartermaster John Bradbury, half-pay, late 1st Dragoon Guards, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 27th November, 1866.

Admiralty, 26*th November*, 1866.

The following promotions under Her Majesty's Order in Council of 10th November, 1866, sanctioning an addition of three General Officers to the present fixed Establishment of ten General Officers of Royal Marines, have been made:—

Lieutenant-General Sir Fortescue Graham, K.C.B., to be General. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Major-General Alexander Anderson and Major-General Thomas Holloway, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Generals. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Colonel Commandant (Supernumerary) and Deputy Adjutant-General George Colt Langley to be Major-General and Deputy Adjutant-General. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Colonel Commandant Joseph Oates Travers, C.B., and Colonel Commandant William Robert Maxwell, to be Major-Generals. Dated 10th November, 1866.

General Sir Fortescue Graham, K.C.B., Lieutenant-General Thomas Holloway, C.B., and Major-General Henry C. Tate, are apportioned to the Marine Artillery.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Colonel Second Commandant George Lambrick to be Colonel Commandant, vice Travers. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Colonel Second Commandant Richard George Connolly to be Colonel Commandant vice Maxwell. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel William Grigor Suther, C.B., to be Colonel Second Commandant, vice Lambrick. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Louis to be Colonel Second Commandant, vice Connolly. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain Joseph Henry Jolliffe to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Suther. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain John William Alexander Kennedy to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Louis. Dated 10th November, 1866.

First Lieutenant and Quartermaster William Henry Wroot to be Captain, vice Jolliffe. Dated 10th November, 1866.

First Lieutenant Charles Durham Hoeart Robilliard to be Captain, vice Kennedy. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Second Lieutenant Augustus Bury Liardet to be First Lieutenant, vice Wroot. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Second Lieutenant Philip Sidney to be First Lieutenant, vice Robilliard. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Admiralty, 22nd November, 1866.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to appoint Vice-Admiral the Right Honourable the Earl of Lauderdale, K.C.B., to be Her Majesty's First and Principal Naval Aide-de-Camp, vice Admiral of the Fleet Sir William Parker, Bart., G.C.B., deceased.

Admiralty, 23rd November, 1866.

Commander Robert Anthony Edwards Scott to be Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from the 22nd instant.

Lieutenant Thomas White Purver has been placed on the Retired List, and allowed to assume the rank of Commander, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866, from the 22nd instant.

Admiralty, 24th November, 1866.

Sub-Lieutenant John Sandford Brome to be Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.

North Salopian Yeomanry Cavalry.

Thomas Slaney Eyton, Esq.. to be Cornet, vice Walford, resigned. Dated 22nd November, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

Joshua Thomas Horton, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 3rd November, 1866,

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Crown Office, November 27, 1866.

Days appointed for holding Special Commissions of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery at the undermentioned Places :—

Cheshire, Wednesday, November 28, at Chester.
Derbyshire, Monday, December 10, at Derby.
Devonshire, Monday, December 10, at the Castle of Exeter.
City of Exeter, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Durham, Thursday, December 6, at Durham.
Essex, Wednesday, December 19, at Chelmsford.
Kent, Tuesday, December 18, at Maidstone.
Leicestershire, Friday, December 14, at Leicester.
Borough of Leicester, the same day, at the Borough of Leicester.
Lincolnshire, Monday, December 3, at Lincoln.
City of Lincoln, the same day, at the City of Lincoln.
Nottinghamshire, Friday, December 7, at Nottingham.
Town of Nottingham, the same day, at the Town of Nottingham.
Somersetshire, Thursday, December 13, at Taunton.
Southampton, Monday, December 3, at the Castle of Winchest r.
Staffordshire, Monday, December 3, at Stafford.
Warwickshire, Tuesday, December 11, at Warwick.
North and East Riding Division of Yorkshire, Saturday, December 1, at the Castle of York.
City of York, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.
West Riding Division of Yorkshire, Thursday, December 13, at Leeds.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette, regulating the postage to be charged on letters, &c., between the United Kingdom and Brazil, Monte Video, and Buenos Ayres, and between Brazil, Monte Video, and Buenos Ayres, and also between Buenos Ayres and Monte Video.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 30, 1866.

Whitehall, November 28, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Adam Inch Ritchie to the church of the united parishes of Whitekirk and Tynninghame, in the presbytery of Dunbar, and shire of Haddington, vacant by the death of the Reverend William Paul.

Downing Street, November 28, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George Trafford, Esq., to be Chief Justice for the Island of Saint Vincent.

Downing-street, November 29, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Alexander Parker, Esq., to be Magistrate for the Gold Coast Settlement on the Western Coast of Africa, and Assessor to the Native Chiefs within the protected territories near or adjacent to the said Settlement.

Crown Office November 29, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased by writ under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to call Sir William Bovill, Knt., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General, to the state and degree of a Serjeant-at Law.

The Queen has been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to

appoint Sir William Bovill, Knt., Serjeant-at-Law, Chief Justice of the Common Pleas.

The Queen has been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to constitute and appoint John Burgess Karslake, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Council learned in the Law, to be Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

(1757.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 30, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a Despatch from Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Fayal, announcing that vessels arriving at that island with susceptible cargoes are not admitted, but must proceed to Lisbon. Those with coal are allowed to discharge and load fruit under quarantine restrictions.

(1793.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 30, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of two Notices issued by the Lisbon Board of Health, and dated the 13th November last, to the effect that the Ports of the Irish Sea, Liverpool, and Cork, still continue to be suspected of Cholera Morbus, and that the Port of Glasgow is considered to be infected since the 3rd instant.

War Office, Pall Mall,
30th November, 1866.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

Deputy Assistant Commissary-General Francis Crossley Colquhoun to be Assistant Commissary-General, vice Blanc, deceased. Dated 6th October, 1866.

Ensign Francis John Gilbert Cook, from 20th Foot, Acting Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General, to be Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General Dated 29th September, 1866.

The services of Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General Edward Turnbull have been dispensed with, Her Majesty having no further occasion for them. Dated 30th November, 1866.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Thomas Molesworth, M.A., Chaplain of Fourth Class, to be Chaplain of Third Class. Dated 19th November, 1866.

The Reverend John Milne, M.A., to be Chaplain of Fourth Class. Dated 1st January, 1864.

India Office, 29*th November*, 1866.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions and alterations of rank amongst the officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Forces, made by the governments in India :—

BREVET.

The undermentioned officer having completed the qualifying period of service to be Colonel in the Army :—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Hammond Welch, Madras Infantry. Dated 8th March, 1866.

Major Edward Long Grant, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Walter Stewart Mann, Royal (Madras) Artillery, to be Major, in succession to Major-General Browne, Madras Infantry, deceased. Dated 15th February, 1866.

This cancels the promotion of Lieutenant-Colonel Grant from 21st December, 1865, as published in Gazette of 3rd August.

BENGAL ARMY.

To be Majors.

Captain Charles Batchelor, late 3rd European Cavalry. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Captain Jocelyn Pickard Cambridge, late 2nd Native Infantry. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain John Alfred Brereton, late 33rd Native Infantry. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain George Corham Huxham, late 48th Native Infantry. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Edward John Wild, late 40th Native Infantry. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Alfred Combe. late 65th Native Infantry. Dated 13th June, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Bernard Cracroft, late 50th Native Infantry. Dated 15th May, 1866.

Lieutenant John Peter Harris, late 21st Native Infantry. Dated 8th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Robert Alexander Dobbin, late 6th European Infantry. Dated 6th July, 1866.

MADRAS ARMY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William Cornwallis Phillips, Staff Corps. Dated 12th June, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant John William Cleland, 2nd Native Infantry. Dated 9th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Emeric Streatfield Berkeley, 7th Light Cavalry. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Stephen William Barron Sherman, 11th Native Infantry. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Barnard Hughes Preston, 2nd European Infantry. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederick Brown Boone, 6th Native Infantry. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant George Murray, 21st Native Infantry. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Colin Mackenzie, 4th Native Infantry. Dated 20th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Richard Carruthers Budd, 39th Native Infantry. Dated 20th June, 1866.

Lieutenant George Edward Henry Beauchamp, 45th Native Infanty. Dated 23rd June, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry George Symons, 23rd Native Infantry. Dated 23rd June, 1866.

Lieutenant Norman Donald Robertson, Staff Corps. Dated 4th August, 1866.

BOMBAY ARMY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Henry Shewell, 2nd European Regiment. Dated 31st August, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain Sussex Charles Milford, 6th Native Infantry. Dated 4th July, 1866.

Captain Robert Mallaby, 13th Native Infantry. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Captain Lionel D'Arcy Dunsterville, 28th Native Infantry. Dated 29th April, 1866.

Captain Edmund Willoughby Lyons, 28th Native Infantry. Dated 3rd May, 1866.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant George Graham Howe Fulton, Staff Corps. Dated 4th August, 1866.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

Substantive Promotions.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major George Edward Holmes. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Major Edward Moody Ryan. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Major John Allen Wright. Dated 12th June, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain (Brevet-Major) John Bulkeley Thelwall, C.B. Dated 4th June, 1866.

Captain Wemyss Smith. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Robert Stewart. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain William Henry Paget. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Thomas Charleton Hamilton. Dated 13th June, 1866

Captain Alexander Frederic Corbett. Dated 13th June, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Brudenell Rogers. Dated 8th June, 1866.

Lieutenant George Edward John Maidman. Dated 9th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Herbert Mills Repton. Dated 9th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederick Wheeler. Dated 9th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Frederick Arthur Currie Knyvett. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant John Upperton. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Hanson Chambers Taylor Jarrett, V.C. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant George Frederick Marrie Phillips. Dated 15th July, 1866.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) William George Cubitt, V.C. Dated 16th July, 1866.

BENGAL ARMY.

Substantive Promotions.

Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Major-General) John Liptrap to be Colonel, vice Pemberton, deceased. Dated 29th April, 1866.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Charles Lionel Showers, from late 14th Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in succession to Palmer, promoted to Major-General. Dated 15th February, 1866.

Major Augustus Kay Moffat to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Faithfull (Staff Corps), removed from List of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 21st June, 1866.

Late 2nd European Cavalry.

Lieutenant George Jackson to be Captain, vice Sweeny (20th Hussars), deceased Dated 22nd May, 1866.

Late 52nd Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Douglas George Manning to be Captain, vice Matheson (Staff Corps), deceased. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Late 58th Native Infantry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Frederick John Davies to be Major, in succession to Faithfull (Staff Corps), removed from List of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 21st June, 1866.

Late 60th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant Patrick Carfrae Dalmahoy to be Captain, vice Baker (Staff Corps), retired. Dated 19th March, 1866.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

To be Surgeon Majors.

Surgeon Henry Mills Cannon, M D. Dated 1st June, 1866.

Surgeon William George Ward Clemenger, A B., M.B. Dated 1st June, 1866.

Surgeon Charles Knight Webb. Dated 1st July, 1866.

Surgeon Arthur Lewis Stuart Campbell. Dated 11th July, 1866.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Delpratt. Dated 6th May, 1866.

Assistant - Surgeon Philip Warren Sutherland. Dated 6th May, 1866.

Assistant - Surgeon Thomas Anderson, M. D. Dated 20th May, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Alfred Eteson. Dated 20th May, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Hugh Davis Jones. Dated 20th May, 1866.

Assistant - Surgeon Albert Richard Waghorn. Dated 22nd June, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Dillon, M.D. Dated 28th June, 1866.

Alterations of Rank.

Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Rowland Rees Mainwaring to take rank from 13th June, 1865.

Late 6th European Regiment.

Major (Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel) Charles Need to take rank from 13th June, 1865.

Late 20th Native Infantry.

Captain John Hobart Tyler to take rank from 13th June, 1865.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Substantive Promotions.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Frederick Nepean Smith. Dated 11th June, 1866.

Major Edward Thomas Fasken. Dated 11th June, 1866.

Major James Francis John Stevenson. Dated 12th June, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain Horatio Biden. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Robert Lambert Playfair. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Dugald John Philip Campbell. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Charles Henry Wilson. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Herbert Champion Roberts. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Thomas Edward Leslie Higginson. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Theodore Clayton Georges. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Charles Shuckburgh Hearn. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Douglas Gordon Seafield St. John Grant. Dated 13th June, 1866.

Captain Walter Douglas. Dated 23rd June, 1866.

Captain George Andrew Walker. Dated 23rd June, 1866.

Captain Charles James. Dated 19th August, 1866.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant William John Bell. Dated 8th June, 1866.

Lieutenant John Campbell Gunning. Dated 9th June, 1866.

Lieutenant George Edwin Borradaile. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant William Leycester Nathaniel Knyvett. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Lieutenant George Machardy Bowie. Dated 20th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Alfred Augustus Davidson. Dated 1st August, 1866.

MADRAS ARMY.

Substantive Promotions.

Infantry.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) William George Owen, from late 11th Native Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Stevens, retired. Dated 30th April, 1866.

Major George Markham Carter, from late 1st European Fusiliers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel vice Kempster (Staff Corps), removed from List of Lieutenant-Colonels. Dated 3rd May, 1866.

6th Native Infantry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Thomas O'Neill to be Captain, in succession to Gosling, promoted to be Major-General. Dated 3rd May, 1866.

11th Native Infantry.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Charles John Fullerton to be Major, in succession to Stevens, retired. Dated 30th April, 1866.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon Edward Dixon. Dated 3rd June, 1866.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon John Simon Morton, M.D., Dated 10th June, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon Ardern Hulme Beaman. Dated 10th June, 1866.

Assistant-Surgeon John Pearson Nash. Dated 20th June, 1866.

Alterations of Rank.

Infantry.

Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio Edward Walpole to rank from 9th October, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Wilson to rank from 18th April, 1866.

1st Native Infantry.

Major Alfred Louis Rishton to rank from 9th October, 1865.

2nd Native Infantry.

Captain Adam Hugh Montgomery Dickey to rank from 9th October, 1865.

16th Native Infantry.

Major John Daniel to rank from 9th October, 1865.

26th Native Infantry.

Captain John Edulphus Swinton to rank from 18th April, 1866.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

Substantive Promotions.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major John William Younghusband, C.S.I. Dated 19th August, 1866.

Major (Brevet-Colonel) Henry Daly, C.B. Dated 1st September, 1866.

To be Majors.

Captain George Arnold Langton. Dated 3rd July, 1866.

Captain John Lewin Sheppard. Dated 3rd July, 1866.

Captain Holy Frederick Bolton. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

Captain Clarence Augustus Collier. Dated 3rd August, 1866.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant William Puget La Touche. Dated 6th September, 1866.

BOMBAY ARMY.

Promotions.

Cavalry.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet-Colonel) John Mackillop Tayler to be Colonel Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) John Crosbie Graves, from

3rd Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in succession to Prescott, deceased. Dated 24th May, 1866.

3rd Light Cavalry.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) William Ashburner to be Major, in succession to Prescott, deceased. Dated 24th May, 1866.

23rd Native Infantry.

Lieutenant William Redmond Adams to be Captain, vice Nicholson, deceased. Dated 16th June, 1866.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

Promotions.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon John Pirie, M.D. Dated 19th August, 1866.

To be Surgeon.

Assistant-Surgeon William Peyton Partridge. Dated 3rd July, 1866.

India Office, 29th November, 1866.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Captains.

Captain Robert Murray, Royal (Bengal) Artillery. Dated 27th August, 1858.

Captain Henry Twisden Forbes, Royal (Bengal) Artillery. Dated 27th August, 1858.

Captain William Henry Mackesy, 79th Regiment. Dated 6th December, 1859.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Armstrong, Royal (Bengal) Artillery. Dated 4th July, 1858.
Ensign Dodgson Hamilton Thompson, 54th Foot. Dated 22nd March, 1865.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant William Freeth, Royal (Madras), Artillery. Dated 10th December, 1858.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS,

To be Captains.

Captain Edwin Luddington Scott, late 30th Native Infantry. Dated 1st May, 1854.
Captain Thomas Nuttall, late 29th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.
Captain James Forbes Robertson, 28th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.
Captain George Frederick Hayward, 17th Native Infantry. Dated 1st December, 1857.
Captain James Turner Hill, 14th Native Infantry. Dated 19th January, 1858.
Captain Charles William Wahab, 14th Native Infantry. Dated 24th March, 1858.
Captain Horace Searle Anderson, 23rd Native Infantry. Dated 29th November, 1859.
Captain Thomas Gordon Coles, 15th Native Infantry. Dated 29th November, 1859.
Captain Alfred Anthony Des Vœux, 5th Native Light Infantry. Dated 17th December, 1860.
Captain Mosson Boyd, 11th Native Infantry. Dated 17th September, 1861.
Captain Henry Vaughan, 17th Native Infantry. Dated 17th September, 1861.

Captain Devereux Henry Hickman, 5th Native Infantry. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Captain Alexander Ferguson, 2nd European Regiment. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Captain John Frederick Berthow, 18th Native Infantry. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Captain Edward Walter Trevor, 103rd Regiment. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Captain John Whaley Watson, 16th Native Infantry. Dated 30th October, 1862.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Edward Newnham Marsh, 18th Native Infantry. Dated 17th September, 1852.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Percival Hodgson, 22nd Native Infantry. Dated 20th July, 1853.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) John Durham Hall, 4th Native Infantry. Dated 14th November, 1853.

Lieutenant Alexander Thomson Reid, 10th Native Infantry. Dated 30th October, 1854.

Lieutenant William Henry Ross, 23rd Native Infantry. Dated 28th December, 1854.

Lieutenant John Crippin Dawson Sidney, 7th Native Infantry. Dated 22nd August, 1855.

Lieutenant George Graham Howe Fulton, 7th Native Infantry. Dated 21st June, 1856.

Lieutenant Henry Phillipps, 29th Native Infantry. Dated 10th October, 1856.

Lieutenant Frederick Pelham Bartholomew, 28th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant William Melville Lane, 29th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant Frederick Prescott Forteath, 12th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant Charles Matthew Griffith, 1st Grenadier Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant Edward Hopper Ashe, 8th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant James Galloway, 13th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant Edward Cunningham, 7th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant Sidney Armstead Smith, 17th Native Infantry. Dater 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Oriel Viveash Tanner, 18th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant George Maughan Lyons, 24th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant Julius Middleton Boyd, 30th Native Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) William Thomas Mills, 25th Native Light Infantry. Dated 23rd November, 1856.

Lieutenant Cornelius Francis James, 20th Native Infantry. Dated 5th July, 1857.

Lieutenant Edward Charles Ross, 3rd European Regiment. Dated 5th July, 1857.

Lieutenant Henry Thomas Hebbert, 17th Native Infantry. Dated 29th May, 1857.

Lieutenant Arthur Mark Shewell, 2nd European Regiment. Dated 2nd September, 1857.

Lieutenant John Thomas Ferguson, 26th Native Infantry. Dated 13th October, 1857.

Lieutenant John Brown, 7th Native Infantry. Dated 2nd November, 1857.

Lieutenant Adam Hogg, 31st Native Infantry. Dated 4th December, 1857.

Lieutenant Hugh David Cathcart, 11th Native Infantry. Dated 28th January, 1858.

Lieutenant James Shrubb Iredell, 20th Native Infantry. Dated 31st January, 1858.

Lieutenant William Thomas Brown, 5th Native Light Infantry. Dated 3rd February, 1858.

Lieutenant Valentine Birch, 9th Native Infantry. Dated 25th April, 1858.

Lieutenant George Adolphus Jacob, 22nd Native Infantry. Dated 28th May, 1858.

Lieutenant William Francis Frederick Waller, 25th Native Light Infantry. Dated 3rd June, 1858.

Lieutenant Francis Austin Montrion, 25th Native Light Infantry. Dated 5th July, 1858.

Lieutenant Thomas Trueman, 3rd European Regiment. Dated 20th July, 1858.

Lieutenant George Bruce Simpson, 25th Native Light Infantry. Dated 25th August, 1858.

Lieutenant Thomas Edmond Strong, 3rd Native Infantry. Dated 2nd December, 1858.

Lieutenant Francis Ward Major, Royal (Bombay) Artillery. Dated 10th December, 1858.

Lieutenant Robert Vaughan Malden, 19th Native Infantry. Dated 16th January, 1859.

Lieutenant William Tuffnell Keays, 14th Native Infantry. Dated 14th February, 1859.

Lieutenant William Scott, 19th Native Infantry. Dated 16th February, 1859.

Lieutenant Charles John Staunton Cahill, 14th Native Infantry. Dated 21st February, 1859.

Lieutenant May Jephson James Mignon, 15th Native Infantry. Dated 25th February, 1859.

Lieutenant William Thomas Eden, 29th Native Infantry. Dated 26th May, 1859.

Lieutenant Henry Gibson, 11th Native Infantry. Dated 18th July, 1859.

Lieutenant Charles Swinhoe, 56th Regiment. Dated 8th September, 1859.

Lieutenant Henry Charles Morse, 8th Native Infantry. Dated 1st October, 1859.

Lieutenant Richmond Irvine Crawford, 13th Native Infantry. Dated 25th October, 1859.

Lieutenant Willoughby John Berthon, 15th Native Infantry. Dated 29th November, 1859.

Lieutenant George Coussmaker, 23rd Native Light Infantry. Dated 29th November, 1859.

Lieutenant Christopher Bunbury Myers, 16th Native Infantry. Dated 7th December, 1859.

Lieutenant Gerald Hume Kennedy, 3rd Native Infantry. Dated 23rd January, 1860.

Lieutenant Frederick Pratt Worthy, 13th Native Infantry. Dated 4th May, 1860.

Lieutenant Francis John Wise, 26th Native Infantry. Dated 26th May, 1860.

Lieutenant Arthur Johnston Bannerman, 9th Native Infantry. Dated 2nd June, 1860.

Lieutenant Francis Hastings Toone Gordon Cumming, 22nd Native Infantry. Dated 6th June, 1860.

Lieutenant William Samuel Seton, 2nd European Regiment. Dated 2nd June, 1860.

Lieutenant Walter Raleigh Trevelyan, 15th Native Infantry. Dated 13th June, 1860.

Lieutenant Charles Drummond Pasmore Payne, 13th Native Infantry. Dated 1st July, 1860.

Lieutenant John Jopp, 29th Native Infantry. Dated 4th August, 1860.

Lieutenant Henry John Stock, 6th Native Infantry. Dated 19th August, 1860.

Lieutenant William Hassalls Yates, 3rd Native Infantry. Dated 26th August, 1860.

Lieutenant Joseph Withers, 25th Native Light Infantry. Dated 2nd October, 1860.

Lieutenant William Reynolds, 19th Native Infantry. Dated 18th December, 1860.

Lieutenant Samuel Barrett Miles, 7th Native Infantry. Dated 2nd January, 1861.

Lieutenant Richard Westmacott, 16th Native Infantry. Dated 20th February, 1861.

Lieutenant Arthur Rowley Heyland, 108th Foot. Dated 8th March, 1861.

Lieutenant John Greenwood Gillmor, 20th Native Infantry. Dated 9th May, 1861.

Lieutenant William Arthur Salmon, General List. Dated 14th May, 1861.

Lieutenant James Henry Latham Greenfield, General List. Dated 4th June, 1861.

Lieutenant James Lawtie Fagan, General List. Dated 9th July, 1861.

Lieutenant Charles Alexander Cunningham, 28th Native Infantry. Dated 26th July, 1861.

Lieutenant George Frederick Bryant, General List. Dated 22nd August, 1861.

Lieutenant Alexander Wood, General List. Dated 17th September, 1861.

Lieutenant Felix Walker Bean, General List. Dated 24th November, 1861.

Lieutenant George Richard Peart, General List. Dated 31st December, 1861.

Lieutenant Alexander Fraser Stewart, General List. Dated 31st December, 1861.

Lieutenant Edward Swatman Reynolds, General List. Dated 31st December, 1861.

Lieutenant Edward Charles Harris, 1st European Fusiliers. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Lieutenant Percival Altamount Brown, General List. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Lieutenant Henry French, General List. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Lieutenant James Bruce Hennell, General List. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Lieutenant Walter Marshall, General List. Dated 1st January, 1862.

Lieutenant William Francis Prideaux, General List. Dated 9th March, 1862.

Lieutenant Digby Cotes Pedder, General List. Dated 16th May, 1862.

Lieutenant Walter Scott, General List. Dated 27th May, 1862.

Lieutenant Charles Hay, General List. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Lieutenant John Macclesfield Heath, General List. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Lieutenant Harry Trevor Bulkley, General List. Dated 30th July, 1862.

Lieutenant Robert William Welsh Greenlaw, General List. Dated 30th September, 1862.

Lieutenant Francis Thomas Ebden, General List. Dated 5th October, 1862.

Ensign William Henry Wilson, 18th Native Infantry. Dated 18th February, 1861.

Lieutenant Arthur Melvill Hogg, 103rd Regiment. Dated 14th June, 1864.

Ensign George John Coulson, 106th Foot. Dated 15th March, 1865.

Admiralty, 27th November, 1866.

The following promotions have this day been made:—

Mr. Harry William Wilkins to be First Class Assistant Engineer, with seniority of 17th November, 1866.

Mr. Bryant George Little to be First Class Assistant Engineer, with seniority of 20th November, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 4, 1866.

Wolverhampton, November 30, 1866.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honor of Knighthood upon John Morris, Esq., Mayor of Wolverhampton.

Whitehall, December 1, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to direct letters patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom granting the office of a Vice-Chancellor unto Richard Malins, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel, in the room of the Right Honourable Sir Richard Torin Kindersley, Knt., resigned.

Foreign Office, November 30, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. William L. Duff as Consul at Glasgow, and of Mr. Nicolas Pike as Consul at Port Louis, Mauritius, for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Jayme L. Hart, as Consul-General in London for the Republic of Nicaragua.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Senor James L. Hart as Vice-Consul in London for the United States of Colombia.

Foreign Office, December 3, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Robert Brown Mackay as Consul at Calcutta for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Alfred Hasche as Consul at Penang for His Royal Highness the Grand Duke of Oldenburg.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to "extend the Act of the twenty-fourth year of "King George the Third, chapter twenty-six, for "issuing writs during any recess of the House of "Commons, whether by prorogation or adjourn-"ment;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the "time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, in the manner required by the said Act, that Sir William Bovill, Knt., late a Member serving in this present Parliament, for the borough of Guildford, hath accepted the office of Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas, and has been gazetted thereto in the London Gazette dated the 30th day of November, 1866, and has thereby vacated his seat; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this third day of December, 1866.

JOHN E. DENISON, Speaker.

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 3, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of a Despatch from the Governor of Malta, reporting that vessels arriving from ports of Great Britain, except from London and Liverpool, and their vicinities, are admitted to free pratique at that Island.

War Office, Pall Mall,
4*th December*, 1866.

1*st Regiment of Life Guards*, Lieutenant the Honourable Seymour John Grey Egerton to be Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable R. Wellesley Grosvenor, who retires. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant James Edward William T., Marquis of Ormonde, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable Seymour J. G. Egerton. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Walter Henry Octavius Duncombe, Gent., to be Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Marquis of Ormonde. Dated 4th December, 1866.

20*th Hussars*, Cornet George Manners Onslow to be Lieutenant, vice George R. J. Shakespear, appointed to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Royal Artillery, Second Captain Francis Lyon to be Captain, vice Brevet-Lieutenant Colonel George Cecil Henry, placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 14th November, 1866.

Lieutenant George Bertie Benjamin Hobart to be

Second Captain, vice Lyon. Dated 14th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Campbell Boyd has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Staff Surgeon Edward James Franklyn, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Ethelbert Henry Blake, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 4th December, 1866.

The death of Lieutenant-General Gowan, C.B., having taken place on the 21st, and not the 20th December, 1865, the following amended list of promotions in succession to the above officer has been substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of 27th February last, viz. :—

Colonel (Major-General) with the rank of Colonel-Commandant Sir Archdale Wilson, Bart., K.C.B., to be Colonel-Commandant. Dated 14th October, 1858.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Edward Kaye to be Colonel, vice Sir A. Wilson. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Brougham to be Colonel, vice George Henry Swinley, promoted to the rank of Major-General. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Captain and Brevet-Major Thomas Edward Kennion to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Kaye. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Captain and Brevet-Major Alfred Light to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brougham. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Second Captain Francis Hastings McLeod to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Light. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Second Captain Sir William Hamilton, Bart., to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Kennion. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Lieutenant Anson Swinton to be Second Captain, vice McLeod. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Lieutenant Henry de Grey Warter to be Second Captain, vice Sir William Hamilton. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Second Captain George Rennie Manderson to be Adjutant, vice Brevet-Major Bogle. Dated 22nd December, 1865.

Coast Brigade of Artillery, The second Christian name of Lieutenant Sprent is *Swanson*, and not *Swanston*, as previously stated.

6*th Regiment of Foot*, Ensign Horace Richard Le Marchant Carey to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Adolphus Hebeler, who retires. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Neville Frederick Mansergh, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Carey. Dated 4th December, 1866.

8*th Foot*, Lieutenant John James Hamilton to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William H. Baillie, promoted. Dated 4th December, 1866.

10*th Foot*, Ensign James Joseph Kennedy to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice George William Carter, deceased. Dated 8th October, 1866.

Ensign Francis Crichton Maltby, from the 20th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Kennedy. Dated 4th December, 1866.

13*th Foot*, Captain Irving Stening Allfrey, from the 75th Foot, to be Captain, vice Arthur Brooks, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Hugh Hovell Thurlow, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Henry Adrian Wyatt-Edgell, deceased. Dated 4th December, 1866.

16*th Foot*, Staff-Surgeon John Sparrow to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major James Richard Ffennell, appointed to the Staff. Dated 4th December, 1866.

18*th Foot*, Captain George Henry Pocklington to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel George Jackson Carey, C.B., placed upon half-pay. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Lieutenant Thomas Charge Wray to be Captain, without purchase, vice Pocklington. Dated 4th December, 1866.

20*th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Edwin Gower, from the General List, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant, vice George R. Gibbs, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Dunn Bury, from the 46th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Lovekin, who exchanges. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Thomas Patrick Shannon, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Francis Crichton Maltby, transferred to the 10th Foot. Dated 4th December, 1866.

21*st Foot*, Captain Robert DuCane, from half-pay, 9th Foot, to be Captain, vice Francis George King, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Lieutenant William Thorburn to be Captain, by purchase, vice Du Cane, who retires. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Ensign Thomas Capel Rose to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Thorburn. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Henry Richard Noel-Hill, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Rose. Dated 4th December, 1866.

24*th Foot*, The appointment of Ensign Edward James O'Hara Browne should have been described as *without* purchase, and not *by* purchase, as stated in the Gazette of the 16th November, 1866.

25*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Lisle Blenkinsop Coulson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Helsham, who retires. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Ensign William Wriothesley Mills Wingfield to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Coulson. Dated 4th December, 1866.

John Pedder Furlong, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Wingfield. Dated 4th December, 1866.

32*nd Foot*, Lieutenant David Bond to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Charles E. Le M. Cherry, promoted. Dated 26th October, 1866.

33*rd Foot*, Lieutenant George Talbot Worthington to be Captain, without purchase, vice Charles Whateley Willis, deceased. Dated 8th November, 1866.

Ensign Edward Quin to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Worthington. Dated 8th November, 1866.

Ensign Henry Alexander Vincent, from the 84th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Quin. Dated 4th December, 1866.

38*th Foot*, Ensign James Webber Smith to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice George John Skinner, appointed to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet John Dilwyn Thomas, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice James Webber Smith. Dated 4th December, 1866.

46*th Foot*, Lieutenant James Magenis Lovekin, from the 20th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Bury, who exchanges. Dated 4th December, 1866.

47*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Seaton Dent to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Frederic Bell, who retires. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Ensign Samuel Lang to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dent. Dated 4th December, 1866.

John Geale Dickson, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lang. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Lieutenant Samuel Lang to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant W. S. Dent, promoted. Dated 4th December, 1866.

48*th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Henry Chauncy to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Henry John Wilkin, who retires. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Ensign Alfred Henry Cormick Lynch to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Chauncy. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Charles Edward Spry Campbell Horwood, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Lynch. Dated 4th December, 1866.

70*th Foot*, Lieutenant Norman Huskisson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William Saunders Ford Feneran, who resigns the appointment. Dated 4th December, 1866.

81*st Foot*, Lieutenant Halkett Francis Jackson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Michael Curry, who resigns the appointment. Dated 24th October, 1866.

83*rd Foot*, Captain James Fielding Sweeney has been permitted to retire upon half-pay, on ap-

pointment as Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 4th December, 1866.

84*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Gerald Wilson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Sydney H. Jones Parry, who retires. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Ensign Joseph Spink Crockett to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Wilson. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Burrell, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Henry Alexander Vincent, transferred to the 33rd Foot. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Allen Osterley Hickey, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Crockett. Dated 4th December, 1866.

85*th Foot*, Ensign the Honourable E. A. Holmes A'Court to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Henry Parker Jervis, who retires. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Charles Villiers Ibbetson, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice the Honourable E. A. H. A'Court. Dated 4th December, 1866.

91*st Foot*, Lieutenant Davie Henry Robertson, from the General List Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant, vice Horace Ralph Spearman, appointed to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 4th December, 1866.

95*th Foot*, Lieutenant Joseph Gabbett to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Thomas Edward Gordon, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Ensign Ponsonby Shaw to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Gabbett. Dated 13th November, 1866.

101*st Foot*, Lieutenant Wynyard H. Warner to be Captain, vice Francis D. Millett Brown, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Ensign William Henry Browne to be Lieutenant, vice William Dare Sladen, who resigns. Dated 17th July, 1866.

Ensign William Henry Abbott to be Lieutenant, vice Warner. Dated 13th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet George Richard Moore, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice William Henry Browne. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Francis Manaton Kirk, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Abbott. Dated 5th December, 1866.

1*st West India Regiment*, George Vautier Lambe, Gent., to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Robert F. Ballantine, promoted. Dated 4th December, 1866.

2*nd West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Holwell H. H. Walshe to be Captain, without purchase, vice Richard Henry Willcocks, deceased. Dated 30th September, 1866.

Ensign John Barclay Jackson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Walshe. Dated 30th September, 1866.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Lieutenant Frederick Blair Staples to be Captain, without purchase, vice James Campbell Fielding, deceased. Dated 26th July, 1866.

Ensign Alfred Randall to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Staples. Dated 26th July, 1866.

Ensign Charles W. J. Taylor to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Randall, whose promotion, by purchase, on the 30th October, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 4th December, 1866.

CAVALRY DEPOT (Canterbury).

Major John Edward Swindley, from half-pay, late 6th Dragoons, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Tomkinson, promoted to a half-pay Lieutenant-Colonelcy. Dated 4th December, 1866.

ROYAL MILITARY COLLEGE.

Captain Edward Monckton Jones, 20th Foot, to be Adjutant of the Staff College, vice Brevet-Major Samuel Peters Jarvis, promoted to a Majority in the 82nd Foot. Dated 4th December, 1866.

HALF-PAY.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Tomkinson, from the Cavalry Depôt, Canterbury, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase. Dated 4th December, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major James Richard Ffennell, from the 16th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff-Surgeon John Sparrow, appointed to the 16th Foot. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Surgeon-Major Ethelbert Henry Blake, M.D., from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff Surgeon Edward James Franklyn, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 4th December, 1866.

PURVEYOR'S DEPARTMENT.

Assistant-Purveyor Richard F. Blackmore to be Deputy-Purveyor, vice Robert Wright, deceased. Dated 19th October, 1866.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Albert George Austen, Royal Artillery, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 3rd February, 1866. Dated 30th October, 1866.

The following Officers on the Retired Full-Pay List of the Royal Artillery to be Lieutenant-Generals, they having at the time of their retirement been senior to Major General Francis Warde, Royal Artillery, who was promoted to the rank of Lieutenant-General, in the Gazette of 14th September last, vice General Sir J. Michell, K.C.B., deceased, viz. :—

Major-General George Durnford. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Major-General Joseph Hanwell. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Major-General Philip Sandilands. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Major-General Benjamin Hutcheson Vaughan-Arbuckle. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Major-General John Harbridge Freer. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Major-General Archibald White Hope. Dated 24th August, 1866.

Major-General John Louis Smith. Dated 24th August, 1866.

The following alterations of rank to take place amongst the Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, in consequence of the death of Lieutenant-General Gowan, C.B., Royal (Bengal) Artillery, having occurred on the 21*st* and not the

19*th* December, 1865, as stated in the Gazette of the 26th January last, viz. :—

Lieutenant-General Garstin to rank from 21st December, 1865, vice Lieutenant-General Sim, deceased.

Lieutenant-General Derville to rank from 22nd December, 1865, vice Lieutenant-General Gowan, deceased.

Major-General Turner, Royal (Bombay) Engineers, to rank from 21st December, 1865, in succession to Lieutenant-General Sim.

Major General Swinley, Royal (Bengal) Artillery, to rank from 22nd December, 1865, in succession to Lieutenant-General Gowan.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of—

General William Gilbert, Bombay Infantry, on the 5th November, 1866 ;

Lieutenant-General William Donald Robertson, on the 3rd November, 1866 ; and

Major-General George Macan, Bombay Infantry, on the 12th November, 1866 : —

To be General.

Lieutenant-General Charles Butler James, Bombay Infantry. Dated 6th November, 1866.

To be Lieutenant-Generals.

Major-General Eyre Evans Bruce, Madras Infantry. Dated 4th November, 1866.

Major-General Henry Coningham, Madras Cavalry. Dated 6th November, 1866.

To be Major-Generals.

Colonel John Stafford Paton, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 4th November, 1866.

Colonel John Coussmaker Heath, Bombay Infantry. Dated 6th November, 1866.

Colonel Henry Joseph Pelly, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 13th November, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers, who have retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank :—

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Henry Nicholetts, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Tulloch, Bengal Infantry. Dated 4th December, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Malcolm McGregor, Unattached, has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum of 15th February, 1861. Dated 4th December, 1866.

Admiralty, 3rd December, 1866.

The following promotions have this day been made :—

Mr. Lawrence Steele to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. James McLaren to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. John Bannatyne to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Edward Carling to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Matthew McIntyre to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. David Storrar to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Alexander Bennie McLuckie to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Thomas Pringle to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. William Gentles to be Acting Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Robert Findlay to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Thomas Spence to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, and the Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.

William Wright, Esq., to be Deputy-Lieutenant. Dated 3rd November, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant-Colonel H. M. Parratt in the 2nd Regiment of Royal Surrey Militia, and in consideration of his long service to permit him to retain his rank and wear his uniform.

EXCHEQUER BILLS.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 24 Vic., c. 5, and dated the 11th June, 1866, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th December, 1866, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th December instant; and that the Interest of such

Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to June 1866, will be at the rate of four pounds per centum per annum.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,
4th December, 1866.

WHEREAS by an Act passed in the session of Parliament held in the thirtieth year of the reign of Her Majesty, cap. 76, intituled "An Act "to provide for the collection of fees in public "departments and offices, by means of stamps," it is provided by the second section thereof, that it shall be lawful for the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, by notice published in the London Gazette, to declare and direct that from and after the time specified in such notice, all or any of the fees for the time being payable in money in any public Department or office connected with the public service, or to the officers thereof, shall be collected by means of stamps; and it is further provided, by the fifth section thereof, that the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury may, from time to time, make such regulations as seem fit regarding:—

The use of stamps under this Act;
The application of such stamps to documents in use or required to be used as aforesaid;
The cancellation of adhesive stamps.

Now, we, being two of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, do hereby give, with respect to the Companies Registration Office, notice, under "The Public Offices Fees Act, 1866," that from and after the 31st day of December, 1866, the fees for the time being payable in the Companies Registration Office, or to the officers

thereof, shall be collected by means of stamps. And we do hereby order and direct that the following rules be observed in respect to stamps used and taken for fees payable in the Companies Registration Office :—

1. The stamps to be used for collecting the fees payable to the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies shall be procured and paid for by the persons liable to pay such fees.

2. All documents tendered for registration shall be according to the approved forms, and bear an impressed stamp denoting the amount of fee payable for the same.

3. Where any such fees are payable in respect of any matter or thing to be done in or by any officer in the Companies Registration Office, the person, or his attorney, requiring such matter or thing to be done or permitted to be done, shall make application for the same in the form kept for that purpose in the said office, and an adhesive stamp denoting the amount of the fee so payable shall be affixed to such form of application.

4. On the necessity thereof being proved to the satisfaction of the Registrar, with his consent, the stamp denoting the amount of the fee payable in respect of such matter or thing as afore-aid may be either impressed on or affixed to any copy, second certificate, or extract, so applied for as aforesaid, in lieu of being affixed to the form of application.

5. All adhesive stamps affixed to any paper presented to, kept in the possession of, or delivered out by the said Registrar, shall, before the act is done or permitted to be done in respect of which the fee denoted by such stamp is payable, be effectually cancelled by some officer in the office of the said Registrar, who shall write thereon the

initial letters of his name and the date of such cancellation; and no such paper shall be filed or delivered out, or act done, until such stamps shall have been cancelled or defaced in manner aforesaid.

6. That when any stamp has been cancelled without having been legitimately used, and the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies has granted a certificate that any particular stamp is a fit subject for allowance, it shall be competent to the Board of Inland Revenue, upon the presentation of such certificate, to allow the amount thereof.

Given under our hands, at the Treasury Chambers, Whitehall, this first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

(Signed) *B. Disraeli.*
Gerard Noel.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 7, 1866.

Foreign Office, December 4, 1866.

THE Prussian Ambassador has made known to Lord Stanley that in consequence of the union with the Prussian Monarchy of the Kingdom of Hanover, of the Electorate of Hesse, and of the Free State of Frankfort-on-the-Maine, the Consular posts of the aforesaid countries are abolished and united with the Prussian Consular Service.

Foreign Office, December 6, 1866.

BRITISH CLAIMS ON MEXICO.

The following Notice has been issued from Her Majesty's Consulate at Mexico to British Subjects having claims on the Mexican Government:—

(Translation).

Her Britannic Majesty's Consulate.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to such of Her Britannic Majesty's subjects as may have claims to present against the Mexican Treasury, that they must produce them as soon as possible, within the term of one year from the present date, addressed to Her Majesty's Consulate, in order that they may be handed over by that office to the Commission sitting in this Capital, in the street "del Puente del Espiritu Santo," No. 3, and may be examined in accordance with the Convention concluded between the British and Mexican Governments, in Mexico, on the 26th of June, 1866.

Mexico, 10th of October, 1866.

Foreign Office, December 6, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. Eduard Rosenbusch as Consul at Malta, for the Free Hanseatic City of Lubeck.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Lewis F. Imossi as Consul at Gibraltar for the Republic of Peru.

Downing Street, December 6, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Joseph Alleyne Haynes, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of the Island of Barbados, and George Blankson, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Gold Coast Settlement on the Western Coast of Africa.

By virtue of an Act, passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to "repeal so much of two Acts made in the "tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His "present Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker "of the House of Commons to issue his warrant "to the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs "for the election of Members to serve in Par-"liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and "for substituting other provisions for the like "purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define "the time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess;"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that John Henry de la Poer Beresford (commonly called Earl of Tyrone), late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Waterford, is become a Peer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of summons hath been issued to him, under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, to summon him to Parliament; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a

Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this fifth day of December, 1866,

JOHN EVELYN DENISON, Speaker.

(1773.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 6, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a Notification to the effect that a quarantine of observation of seven days only is imposed upon vessels arriving from the United Kingdom at Civita Vecchia, and free pratique granted if they shall have left their points of departure subsequently to the 1st of November last and are provided with a clean bill of health, attested as such by any Consular authority.

(1815.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 6, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a Notification to the effect that a quarantine of seven days for vessels with foul bills of health, and of five days for vessels with clean bills of health, is imposed upon arrivals at Naples from all the ports of Great Britain, Ireland, and the Isle of Man.

Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 6, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have caused to be prepared the following statement of the duties which, according to the information they have received, will be charged under the Austrian Tariff on the produce and manufactures of the United Kingdom on and after the 1st January, 1867, in virtue of the provisions of the Treaty of Commerce between this country and Austria of the 16th December, 1865 :—

AUSTRIAN TARIFF.

LIST of Import Duties levied in Austria upon the Principal Articles of British Produce and Manufacture, in virtue of the Treaty between Austria and the Zollverein in 1865, and applicable to British produce on and after the first of January, 1867 :—

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner.	
		Fl.	Kr.
	CLASS I.		
2*e*	Hops	2	50

	Class II.	
3*a*	Fish, fresh	free.
b	Fish (except herrings, &c., and stockfish), salted, smoked, or dried	1 50
6*a*	Skins and hides, raw, of cattle, horse, ass, camel, dog, pig, stag, hare, rabbit, &c., and raw fish skin...	free.
b	Hair, rough and dressed, and bristles	free.
e	Goldbeater's skin	0 75
g	Cheese, and wax, white and yellow	2 50
	Class III.	
7	Oil and fat (except olive, palm, cocoa, and perfumed oils) in casks or skins	0 75
9*d*	Sauces	10 00
	Class IV.	
11*a*	Slates, bricks, tiles, millstones and grindstones, cement	free
b	Slate in slabs, slates and slate pencils without frames or cases (which pay as wood wares); glass, sand, and emery paper	0 75

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl. Kr.
	CLASS V.	
13	Dye roots, common, ground and unground, and dye woods, &c ...	free.
14	Resins, pitch, and mineral oil :—	
	Resin, common (white, yellow, and black), pitch, colophony, turpentine and oil of turpentine, asphalt, mountain pitch ...	free.
	Rock oil (white and red), coal oil and benzine	0 75
15	Chemicals :—	
a	Sulphur, in sticks or rolls, ground and flour of sulphur; saltpetre, raw; tutty; potash and other wood ashes; tartar, raw, refined, crystallized; dried wine lees; iron vitriol, iron liquor; arsenic, arsenious acid, sulphuret of arsenic (orpinent and realgar); mineral waters (including bottles); antimony and regulus of ...	free.
b	Soda, carbonate of; digestive salts, sulphate and bisulphate of soda and potash; sulphuric acid; muriatic acid; nitric acid and aqua regia	0 40

c	Alum, litharge of lead, gold or silver; saltpetre, refined and crystallised; admont; copper and zinc vitriol, and water glass; ammoniacal salts; sal ammoniac, spirits of hartshorn, and ammoniac; and compounds of pyroligneous acid with iron, lead, lime, &c.; lemon juice in casks; citrate of lime; mineral kermes; sulphate of barytes, and tournesol	0	75
d	White lead, oxide of zinc, sugar of lead, chloride of lime, chromate of potash; prussiate of potash; chromate of lead; verdigris, massicot (yellow lead), red lead; bicarbonate of soda; orchilla cudbear and gall apple, extracts; Dutch pink; zaffre and other combinations of cobalt; smalt; glass enamel; and tartaric acid	1	50
e	Caustic soda; oxalic acid and oxalate of potash	2	00
	(See also Class XII.)		
	CLASS VI.—METALS, ROUGH AND HALF MANUFACTURED.		
16	Lead:		
a	Lead, metal for typefounding and lead ashes	0	75
b	Lead, cast, as vessels, pipes, sheets, bullets, and shot; also rolled and drawn lead, printing and stereotypes	2	50

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl.	Kr.
17	Iron :		
a	Iron, rough, pig, also old broken, refuse, filings, and dross ...	0	40
b	Iron, wrought, hammered and rolled, in bars (not shaped) ; lump iron, iron rails for railways ; raw, cemented, cast and refined steel not shaped	1	50
c	Iron, sheet, black ; also angle and bent sheet ; sheet steel, rough ; steel plates unpolished, and unpolished iron wire ... ... Iron and steel bars, shaped ; tyres ; steel rails ; roughly hammered parts of machines, waggons, &c., each separate part of which shall exceed one centner in weight ; ploughshares, anchors, and anchor and ships' chains	2	50
d	Iron sheets and plates, polished, lacquered, tinned (tin plates), zincked or coated with lead ; steel sheets and plates polished ; iron wire, polished, coppered, tinned, or zinked ; steel wire, polished and unpolished ; strings for musical instruments ; and wrought iron pipes	4	00

e	Cast-iron coarse wares, as boilers, stoves, plates, wheels, pipes, and grates, the weight of each being above 10 lbs., and parts of machinery, each part weighing more than 50 lbs.	0 75
18	Common metals and mixed metals, other than lead and iron :—	
a	Rough, in blocks, rosettes, refined, bars and bloom, also old broken and refuse ; aluminium, copper and tin ashes, and quicksilver, &c.	free.
b	Zinc, in bars, plates, sheets, wire, and tubes, also zinc castings, rough, plain, or combined with common wool or bar or sheet iron	1 50
c	Tin, in bars, plates, sheets, wire, and tubes ; rough cast tin, plain or combined with common wood or bar or sheet iron ; coarse tin wares, as bowls, plates, kettles and other vessels, not lacquered nor combined with other materials	2 50
d	Metals, common, except zinc and tin, in bars, plates, sheets, and wire ; also brass strings for musical instruments, and coarse cast wares, as bells and pipes, each piece weighing more than 25 lbs. ; and other articles, each piece weighing above 100 lbs. ...	4 00

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl.	Kr.
	CLASS VII.—WEAVING MATERIALS AND YARN.		
19	Flax, prepared flax, hemp, jute, and other vegetable fibres, raw, retted, hackled, also refuse, tree-wool and varech	free.	
20	Sheep's wool, raw and combed, dyed, bleached, and refuse ...	free.	
21	Cotton yarn (mixed or not with linen or wool):—		
a	Raw, *i. e.*, unbleached, undyed (except twisted of three or more threads)	4	00
b	Bleached (except twisted of three or more threads and dyed); and unwoven wicks)	6	00
22	Linen yarn, *i. e.*, of flax, hemp or tow:—		
a	Handspun, raw, not bleached, dyed nor twisted	free.	
b	Machinespun, raw, not bleached, dyed nor twisted	3	00
c	Machinespun, bleached. improved or dyed, but not twisted ...	4	50

23	Woollen yarn, of wool or other animal hair :		
a	Of carded wool, raw and of combed wool, hard (weft yarn), raw, not dyed, nor three or more fold twisted	0	75
b	Of combed wool, soft raw, not dyed, nor three or more fold twisted	4	50

Class VIII.—Woven Manufactures.

24	Cotton manufactures, pure, or mixed with linen, or with india-rubber threads, but not mixed with silk, wool, or other animal hair :		
a	Raw, unbleached, close woven, undyed, and unprinted tissues ; twilled, figured, and napped (except stuffs of the nature of velvet), nets and networks (marly), girths, and woven wicks ...	25	00
b	Close woven tissues not included in pars. *a* and *d*, haberdashery, buttons, tapes, hosiery, and trimmings	45	00
c	All open or loosely woven tissues, except bobbinets (English nets), petinets, and lace	70	00

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl.	Kr.
25	Linen manufactures (including ropemakers' wares) of flax, hemp, tow, manilla hemp, jute, and other vegetable fibres (except cotton), mixed or not with india-rubber threads, but not mixed with silk, wool, or other animal hair :—		
a	Ropemakers' wares, bleached or not, as ropes, cordage, twine and string, and unbleached packthread, tarred, varnished, &c., or not, fire-buckets of twisted hemp, girths, belts of all kinds, unbleached packing cloth ; also sacks of such cloth ...	0	75
	NOTE.—By unbleached packing-cloth is meant a coarse smooth or simply twilled tissue, without pattern, and not containing more than 30 warp threads to the Vienna inch.		
b	1. Raw, unbleached, plain linen cloths (except those under *d* and *e*), ticking and huckaback, and fire-buckets of unbleached sail-cloth	6	00

	2. Druggeting and matting (for floors and carriages and lauf-teppiche), plain, coloured, or figured	6	00
	NOTE to 1 and 2.—Articles specified in the above positions when of jute only	3	00
c	All close-woven manufactures not otherwise tariffed ...	25	00
d	Cloths of more than 100 warp threads to the Vienna inch: hosiery, haberdashery, tapes, and trimmings	45	00
e	Cambrics, gauze, lawn, and other open or loosely woven tissues (except lace and edgings)	70	00
	Woollen manufactures of wool or other animal hair, mixed or not with india-rubber threads, and with other weaving materials (except silk):—		
26*a*	Fulled, unprinted (except those of the nature of velvet), unprinted felt wares and carpets, except those of dog, calf, or ox hair ...	25	00
	NOTE.—Only entirely fulled wares may be imported under paragraph *a*		
b	Stuffs, &c., of the nature of velvet, and all unfulled close woven wares (except those named under *c*), hosiery, haberdashery, and trimmings	45	00
c	All open or loosely woven wares (except lace), shawls and scarfs	70	00

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl.	Kr.
27	Wares containing a mixture of silk (except blonde and lace) ...	70	00
28	Waxed linen, waxed muslin, waxed taffety and stuffs, woven or coated with india-rubber :		
a	Common waxed linen, as unprinted packing cloth, and linen coated with asphalt	1	00
b	Fine, other than those above specified ; also waxed muslin, painter's canvas, imitation leather (leather-cloth), and taffety ...	10	00
c	Stuffs, coated with india-rubber or gutta-percha, or impregnated or incorporated with layers of such resins	25	00
	CLASS IX.		
29	Brush and sieve makers' wares :—		
a	Common wares of bristles and undyed feathers, plain or combined with wood or iron ; wooden sieves, with cane or wire bottoms, not polished, varnished, lacquered, or dyed	3	00

b	Fine—All wares not specified under paragraph *a* (except those which are classed as fine leather; india-rubber or small wares), painters' and dusting brushes, rubbing and horse brushes ...	12	00
31	Paper and paper wares :—		
a	Shrenz paper; grey blotting paper, coarse packing paper, plain or coloured, lacquered or coated with graphite, asphalt, or tar; pasteboard and stone paper; pasteboards for cloth pressing; and patent wood	0	75
b	All unsized paper not otherwise specified	1	50
c	Sized papers, coloured (except those under paragraph *d*), lithographed, printed, or ruled; ticket, bill, account, &c., paper; oil and waxed paper, &c., and coloured paste	4	00
d	1. Gold and silver paper, paper figured with gold, silver or bronze, stamped or perforated paper, strips of such paper, and indestructible paper		
	2. Envelopes, plain or lined with linen; paper hangings; and all other wares of paper or paper paste not otherwise specified (except playing cards); models in stone paste, asphalt, &c.; all the above articles, plain or mixed with other materials, except those which are classed as fine leather, india-rubber, or small wares	12	00

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl.	Kr.
32	LEATHER, &c. :—		
a	Sheep and goat skins, dressed or half dressed, but not otherwise prepared	0	75
b	Common leather—Leather not included under paragraph *d*, boot tops of common leather	3	00
c	Artificial card leather, and rough furrier's wares	4	50
d	Fine—Glove, cordovan, morocco, saffian and dyed leather (except blacked leather), lacquered, gilt, or with stamped ornaments, parchment and elastic webbing	10	00
	Leather and india-rubber wares :—		
e	Common :—		
	Shoemakers' and saddlers' wares of common leather and bellows India-rubber or gutta-percha wares, not dyed, painted, nor lacquered, with pressed ornaments ... ... The above wares mixed with wood or iron, not lacquered, varnished, dyed or polished	7	50

	Common—*continued.*		
	Trunkmakers' wares of tanned or blacked leather, with buckles, rings, &c.	7	50
f	Wares of common leather, not specified under paragraph *e*, and common articles mixed with other materials, except those which come under the head of small wares	12	00
g	Articles of fine leather, india-rubber or gutta-percha, coloured, dyed, lacquered, or with pressed ornaments		
	The above articles mixed with other materials, except those which pay as small wares	15	00
	Hunting and travelling bags and shoemakers' wares of woven stuffs		
h	Gloves, wholly or partly made up or mixed with woven materials	45	00
	CLASS X.		
34	Glass and glass wares :—		
a	Rough unpolished plate glass, glass in masses, glass pipes and rods for bead making, enamel and glaze in the mass... ...	0	75
b	White hollow glass, not figured, polished, smoothed, nor pressed, with ground stoppers, borders, and bottoms, and window and sheet glass of natural tints, viz., green, semi or wholly white ...	1	50

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl.	Kr.
c	Pressed, polished, smoothed, cut or figured, pendants for chandeliers, glass buttons, and beads uncoloured, glass enamel, and drops	4	00
d	Coloured, painted, gilt, or silvered, cameo glass, glass flux, and imitation stones unset	6	00
	Looking-glass, polished, silvered, or not, each piece not exceeding 284 square Vienna inches		
e	All glass and glass enamel mixed with other materials (except those which are classed as fine leather, india-rubber, or small wares)	12	00
	Looking-glass, unframed, and plate glass, in pieces exceeding 284 square Vienna inches, and framed looking-glasses		
36	Earthenware, including porcelain, earthenware and articles of baked earth :—		
a	Common pottery made of common earth, glazed or not, tiles for		

	ovens, black or graphite vessels, paving tiles and other similar articles, crucibles, clay pipes and tubes of one colour and unpainted	free.	
b	Stoneware or earthenware, &c., white or of one colour, or white with coloured lines at the edges (except gold and silver lines), also most common wares, specified under paragraph *a*, mixed with undyed, uncoloured, unlacquered, or unpolished wood or iron, as also most common vessels with covers or fittings of tin...	2	50
c	Stoneware or earthenware, &c., of several colours, painted, printed, gilt or silver, and porcelain, white or with coloured lines at the edges (except gold or silver lines)	4	50
d	Porcelain, coloured, painted, printed, gilt, or silvered, and earthenware of all kinds, mixed with other materials (except those named in par. *b*, and fine leather, india-rubber, or small wares)	12	00

CLASS XI.—METAL WARES, INSTRUMENTS, MACHINERY AND SMALL WARES.

37	Iron wares, all wares of iron and steel, not gilt nor plated, nor lacquered with gold or silver lacquer, and not including personal or toilette ornaments with false gilding or plating :		

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl.	Kr.
a	All iron and steel wares not wholly or partly smoothed, polished, enamelled, varnished, nor lacquered, and not specified under Tariff No. 17, *b*, *c*, *d*, and *e*, nor under No. 37, *b* and *c*, also axes, saws, scythes, sickles, chopping knives, chisels, planes, coopers' knives, clothcutters' and tailors' shears, large knives for trade purposes, shoemakers' and pruning knives, screws, rasps and files, polished or not, wire-brushes, sieve bottoms, and enamelled cooking utensils ... ... All the above named wares combined with wooden wares (except those of superior quality)	4	50
b	Personal and toilet ornaments, except those falsely gilt or silvered Wire-work and wire-wares (except sieve-bottoms), and wire covered with paper ... ... Jews' harps, fish-hooks, steel springs, handles for pens, steel beads, crotchet, tambour and knitting needles, weavers' slaies, and dents of steel...	12	00

	Arms and parts of arms, except guns, pistols, &c.		
	All smooth, polished, varnished, and lacquered wares, except those named under paragraphs *a* and *c*		
	All wares (except those named in paragraph *c*), combined with other materials than those specified under 37 *a*; or with fine leather, india-rubber, small wares, or articles included under 32 *g*	12	00
c	Sewing needles, writing pens, watch and clock works, guns, pistols, &c.	15	00
38	Of aluminium, lead, copper, brass, packfong, tombac, and other unspecified common metals or mixed metals (except iron, and provided they do not come under paragraphs 16 *b* and 18 *b* and *c*), not gilt, silvered, or lacquered with gold or silver lacquer, and not including personal ornaments when falsely gilt or silvered	4	50
	NOTE.—Plated copper and brass wire, sheets, and plates belong to this class.		
a	Cylinders, boilers, bowls, plates, pots, and other kitchen utensils		
b	All wares not specified in paragraphs *a* and *c*, and wares combined with other materials, provided they do not belong to the classes of fine leather, india-rubber, or small wares	12	00

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner. Fl.	Kr.
	Bronze powder, tinsel, metal foil, leonic wire of common metal, gold and silver leaf of false gold or silver, and copper or brass sheets, plates, and wire plated or silvered, and percussion caps uncharged	12	00
c	Writing pens, watch furniture, and clock works	15	00
39	Instruments :		
a	Surgical, mathematical, optical, &c.	4	50
b	Musical instruments	7	50
40	Machinery :		
	Machines and parts thereof of wood or of common metals, not gilt or silvered, combined or not with other materials, provided those materials are not classed as small wares, and according to the weight of the predominating material of which composed :		
a	Of wood	1	00
b	Of cast iron	2	00
c	Of wrought iron or steel	4	00
d	Of other common metals	6	00

Remarks relating to Machinery.

1. Machines composed entirely of wood, as also those composed partly of such other materials as are not comprised under paragraph 7, letter (*a*) of the preface to the Customs' Tariff pay as wood wares, paragraph 64. Parts of machinery of raw cast iron, each piece weighing more than 50 lbs., pay according to No. 17 *e*. Parts of machinery of raw cast zinc pay according to Tariff position 18 *d*; and parts of machinery if of copper, brass, tin, and other unspecified common metals in coarse castings, such as bells or pipes, each part weighing more than 25 lbs., and in other forms, in pieces, each weighing more than 100 lbs., according to Tariff, position 18 *d*.

2. Locomotives, tenders, and steam boilers are included under the heading of machinery.

Only such articles shall be considered as parts of machinery as the person paying duty shall declare as such, and which cannot be used alone, or without a driving power, such as, for example, spindles, eccentric or cog wheels, and steam cylinders.

3. A limited reduction of duty may be allowed by the Finance Minister, or, with his permission, by the local Finance Authority, on the importation of machinery and parts of machinery, under

Tariff No.	Principal Articles.	Rates of Duty per Centner.	
	Remarks relating to Machinery—*continued.*	Fl.	Kr.
	position 74 *b*, *c*, and *d*, to home manufacturers and transport undertakings, when imported for the purpose of their own trades, and also to landowners for their own agricultural purposes, regard being had, however, to the state and power of production of the home machinery trade; but the reduced duty on machines and parts thereof must never be less than :—		
b	Of cast iron	1	33
c	Of wrought iron or steel	2	00
d	Of other unspecified common metals	4	00
41	Small wares (fancy goods):—		
	Common kinds. Including clocks (except wooden clocks) ...	30	00
	CLASS XII.—CHEMICAL PRODUCTS, DYE STUFFS, &c.		
42*a*	Matches, wooden lucifers, tinder, phosphoric bottles, &c., and tinder paper	free.	

b	Isinglass, mouth glue, hair powder, starch, albumen, gelatine, lamp and coal black, printing and Frankfort ink, shoeblacking, wheel-grease and torches	0	75
c	Inks and ink powders, Indian ink, blue-black, lead pencils, crayons, and red pencils, colours in flasks, capsules, shells, cakes, or boxes	12	00
	Percussion caps, filled		
	Perfumery wares and rouge		
	NOTE.—If the above wares are imported in fancy cases, &c., such cases will be charged as small wares.		
d	Chemical products, &c., not otherwise specified, fireworks, lees artificial; gelatine, manufactures of; pastiles, sealing-wax, caustic potash, lunar caustic, eau de javelle, phosphorus and phosphoric acid, dyed wax, lemon juice in bottles, chloroform, sulphuric ether, preparations of quicksilver and cinnabar, chloride of magnesium, carbonate and sulphate of magnesia, and creosote ...	5	00
	NOTE.—As regards phosphorus, 20 per cent. additional tare will be allowed, making the total tare 36 per cent. when imported in tin cases filled with water.		
43	Engravings, lithographs, woodcuts, and photographs	free.	
	Books, oil-paintings, music, &c.	free.	

War Office, Pall Mall,

7th December, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Major and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel Duncan James Baillie to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Hugh Smith Baillie, who retires. Dated 7th December, 1866.

Captain Owen Lewis Cope Williams to be Major, by purchase, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel in the Army, vice D. J. Baillie. Dated 7th December, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Fitzgerald Rushout Rushout to be Captain, by purchase, vice Williams. Dated 7th December, 1866.

Cornet Robert Dalrymple Steuart-Grossett-Muirhead to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rushout. Dated 7th December, 1866.

47th Foot, The second Christian name of Captain Dent is *Seton*, and not *Seaton*, as stated in the Gazette of the 4th instant.

Admiralty, 5th December, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

First Lieutenant Walter Julius Barker to be First Lieutenant and Quartermaster, vice Wroot, promoted. Dated 1st December, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Regiment of Militia.

Robert William Newburgh Jenkins, Gent., to be Captain, vice Beamish, resigned. Dated 1st October, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, *and County of the City of* Chester.

John Hurlesten Leche, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th October, 1866.

Earl of Chester's Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

James Tomkinson, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 30th November, 1866.

A Treasury Warrant is published in this Gazette regulating the postage to be charged on letters, &c., transmitted by post between the West Indies and North and South America.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 11, 1866.

Windsor Castle, December 8, 1866.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :—

The Baron de Blome, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister from the King Hanover, to deliver his Letter of Recall ;

To which audience he was introduced by Lord Stanley, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Foreign Office, December 7, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. August Barsdorf as Consul at Port Elizabeth, Cape of Good Hope, for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of M. Eduard Rosenbusch as Consul at Malta for the Free Hanseatic City of Bremen.

Downing Street, December 8, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain James George Mackenzie, R N. (now Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Saint Christopher), to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Saint Christopher and of the Island of Nevis.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Edward Herbert, Esq., to be Colonial Secretary for the Island of Saint Christopher.

Whitehall, November 29, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Frederick John Skoulding, of Gilston Cottage, in the parish of Gilston, in the county of Hertford, Gentleman, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal Grandfather Samuel Cann, late of Wymondham, in the county of Norfolk, Gentleman, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Cann in addition to and after that of Skoulding, and bear the arms of Cann quarterly with those of Skoulding; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise Her Majesty's Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War Office, Pall Mall,
11th December, 1866.

20th Regiment of Hussars, Gentleman Cadet William Chetwode Lloyd, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, vice George Manners Onslow, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Godfrey James Wigram to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Michael Walker Heneage, who retires. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable Heneage Legge to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Wigram. Dated 11th December, 1866

Amelius Richard Mark Wood, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable Heneage Legge. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Leopold James Yorke Campbell Scarlett, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Neil Douglas Cecil Frederick Douglas, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

1st Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Drury Shaw, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Augustus William Munsey, transferred to the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 11th December, 1866.

7th Foot, Gentleman Cadet Josiah Philip Crampton Neville, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Alfred James Medley Reade, who resigns. Dated 11th December, 1866.

14th Foot, Captain Anthony Robert Keogh, from

the 10th Foot, to be Captain, vice John G. Maycock, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

15*th Foot*, Captain Edward Berkeley Mansel, from the 52nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Francis Powell Hopkins, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

24*th Foot*, Captain Arthur Lake, from the 62nd Foot, to be Captain. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Ensign Russell Upcher to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice William Penn Symons, whose promotion, without purchase, on the 29th October, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 29th October, 1866.

Ensign William Penn Symons to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Russell Upcher, whose promotion, by purchase, on the 30th October, 1866, has been cancelled. Dated 30th October, 1866.

The appointment of the undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets to be in the following succession :—

Herbert Frederick Thomson, vice Symons.
Edward James O'Hara Browne, vice Upcher.

42*nd Foot*, Norman Guthrie Chalmers, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Samuel George Hulse, who retires. Dated 11th December, 1866.

52*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Berkeley Mansel to be Captain, by purchase, vice Edward Cooper Wynne, who retires. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Ensign Robert William Blackwood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mansel. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Ensign James Johnstone, from the 28th Foot, to

be Ensign, vice Blackwood. Dated 11th December, 1866.

60*th Foot*, Captain Salusbury Sewell Davenport, from half-pay, late 2nd West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Captain and Brevet-Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Spencer Churchill, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 11th December, 1866

Lieutenant William Lewis Kinlock Ogilvy to be Captain, by purchase, vice Davenport, who retires. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Lieutenant F. Augustus Campbell to be Captain, by purchase, vice John D'Olier George, who retires. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Ensign Francis Alexander Gordon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ogilvy. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Ensign William Tilden to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice F. A. Campbell. Dated 11th December, 1866.

John Henry Burstall, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice F. A Gordon. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Harry Paul Burrard, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Edward Bernard Coleman, who retires. Dated 12th December, 1866.

Claude Champion de Crespigny, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice William Tilden. Dated 13th December, 1866

63*rd Foot*, Lieutenant William Lancelot Knowles to be Captain, without purchase, vice Alexander Macleay Dumaresq, deceased. Dated 17th November, 1866.

Ensign Jasper Burne to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Knowles. Dated 17th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Day Durnford, from

the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Burne. Dated 11th December, 1866.

64*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Robert Brooks Giles, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Charles Stevens Ward, deceased. Dated 11th December, 1866.

65*th Foot*, Lieutenant Robert Murray to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Owen Jones Priestley, who retires. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Ensign Edmund Ironside Barnewall Bax to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Murray. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Hugh FitzRoy Marryat, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Bax. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Sir Archdale Robert Palmer, Bart., to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Lewis Vaughan Williams, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

2*nd West India Regiment*, Ensign Augustus William Munsey, from the 1st Foot, to be Ensign, vice Charles Henry Tongue, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Gentleman Cadet Adolphus James Price, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Charles W. J. Taylor, promoted. Dated 11th December, 1866.

PURVEYORS' DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned Purveyors' Clerks to be Assistant Purveyors :—

John Spencely. Dated 3rd February, 1866.
John Smith Young. Dated 3rd February, 1866.

Charles Frederick Flower Woods. Dated 3rd February, 1866.

Marlow Sidney John Woollett. Dated 3rd February, 1866.

Michael Francis Fitzgerald. Dated 3rd February, 1866.

Paul Dennis Costa. Dated 3rd February, 1866.

John Oakshott Spriggs. Dated 7th March, 1866.

Charles Bruce. Dated 13th April, 1866.

BREVET.

Captain Walter Tuckfield Goldsworthy, 91st Foot, to be Major. Dated 11th December, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers upon half-pay have been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of their Commissions, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum of the 15th February, 1861 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Van Straubenzee, half-pay, late 13th Foot. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Major James Stillman, half-pay, late 9th Foot. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Major Henry Ferdinand Turner, half-pay, late 65th Foot. Dated 11th December, 1866.

Admiralty, 7th December, 1866.

Mr. William Henry Gulliver has this day been promoted to the rank of First Class Assistant Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 27th November, 1866.

Admiralty, 10th December, 1866.

Commander Henry Baker has been this day placed on the Retired List and allowed to 1866.

assume the rank of Retired Captain, under the provisions of the Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866.

Queen's Commission.

Queen's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Tower Hamlets Militia.

Captain George Shirley Maxwell, late Adjutant East Kent Militia, to be Adjutant, from the 30th October, 1866, vice Knight, resigned.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant George Shirley Maxwell, of the Queen's Own Light Infantry Regiment of Tower Hamlets Militia, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 20th November, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Thomas Tillotson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th November, 1866.

Thomas Brushfield, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th November, 1866.

Major Clarence Holcombe Judd to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th November, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Artillery Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

William Pearce, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th November, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Nathaniel Kyrle Collins, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1866.

Francis Alexander Wolryche Whitmore, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1866.

John Rowland Lovell Hazeldine, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st December, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 14, 1866.

Windsor Castle, December 12, 1866.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood upon William Hackett, Esq., Recorder of Prince of Wales's Island.

Whitehall, December 8, 1866.

The Queen, taking into Her Royal consideration that upon the decease of John Francis Miller, late Earl of Mar and Earl of Kellie, of that part of the United Kingdom called Scotland, without issue, on the 19th day of June last, the title and dignity of Earl of Kellie devolved upon his cousin and heir male Walter Coningsby, now Earl of Kellie, as eldest surviving son and heir of Henry David Erskine, Esq., commonly called the Honourable Henry David Erskine, the third, but eventually second, surviving son of John Francis, Earl of Mar, and next brother to John Thomas, Earl of Mar, the father of the said John Francis Miller, late Earl of Mar and Earl of Kellie, and that according to the ordinary rules of honour the

brother and sister of the said Walter Coningsby, now Earl of Kellie, cannot enjoy that place and precedence which would have been due to them in case their said father had survived his nephew, the said John Francis Miller, late Earl of Mar and Earl of Kellie, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Earl of Kellie, Her Majesty hath been graciously pleased to ordain and declare that James Augustus Erskine Esq., and Anne Caroline, the wife of Joseph Haskoll, Clerk, Master of Arts, Rector of East Barkwith, in the county of Lincoln, the only surviving brother and sister of the said Walter Coningsby, now Earl of Kellie, shall henceforth have, hold, and enjoy the same title, place, pre-eminence, and precedence as if their said father had survived his nephew, the said John Francis Miller, late Earl of Mar and Earl of Kellie, and had thereby succeeded to the title and dignity of Earl of Kellie :

Her Majesty hath been further pleased to command that the said Royal order and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

Crown Office, December 13, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased by letters patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to constitute and appoint—

Thomas Spinks, Doctor of Civil Laws, Fellow of the College of Advocates ;

Joseph Trigge Schomberg, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;

Harris Prendergast, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;

George Morley Dowdeswell, of the Inner Temple, London, Esq. ;

Charles Grevile Prideaux, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;

Benjamin Hardy, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;
George Little, of the Middle Temple, London, Esq. ;
Henry Thomas Cole, of the Middle Temple, London, Esq. ;
John Pearson, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;
Francis Roxburgh, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;
Thomas James Clark, of the Inner Temple, London, Esq. ;
Henry Cotton, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;
Edward Kent Karslake, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;
George Druce, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;
Edward Ebenezer Kay, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq. ;
Thomas Kingdon Kingdon, of the Inner Temple, London, Esq. ;
to be of Her Majesty's Council learned in the Law.

(1836.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 13, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a Notification to the effect that vessels on board of which cases of yellow fever may have occurred during their voyage from England to Spain will have to undergo a five days' quarantine in addition to the period to which they are now liable on account of the cholera in this country, and that the whole of this quarantine must be performed in a "foul lazaretto," that is to say, either at Port Mahon or at Vigo.

(1830.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 11, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following copy of the Balance Sheet of the Receipts and Expenditure of the European Commission of the Danube, for the year 1865, which they hereby publish, in accordance with Article 16 of the Danube Navigation Act of the 2nd November, 1865 :—

STATEMENT of the Receipts and Expenditure of the European Commission of the Danube, during the year 1865, prepared in execution of Article 16 of the Public Act signed at Galatz the 2nd November, 1865.

RECEIPTS.

	Ducats.	Ps.	P.
Surplus of income of 1864 in hand 1st January, 1865	37,607	32	13
Net Produce of the navigation dues levied at the Sulina Mouth in 1865*	70,541	30	11
Produce of the sale of different materials	7,627	30	33
Interest on disposable capital deposited in current account, and miscellaneous receipts	1,628	28	22
Total receipts	117,405	29	39

* For details see below.

EXPENDITURE.

Title I.—Administration.

Chapter 1.—Internal Administration.

At Galatz	5,636	07	28
At Toultcha	1,293	06	28
At Sulina	1,318	18	01
Expenses common to these three sections	968	35	06

Chapter 2.—Police and Navigation Establishments.

General inspection of the navigation	3,345	04	12
Harbour Master's Department at Sulina	3,823	18	23
Navigation Cash Office	1,850	08	21
Seaman's Hospital	1,426	11	32
Total expenditure on administration	19,661	18	31

Title II.—Technical Service and Works.

	Ducats.	Ps.	P.
Chapter 1.			
Engineering Staff	3,757	22	36
Chapter 2.			
Surveys and establishment of bench marks in the Sulina Branch ...	691	18	21
Chapter 3.			
Maintenance of Steam saw-mills at Toultcha	12	0	0
Chapter 4.			
Workshops, &c., at Sulina	639	05	32
Chapter 5.			
Works, properly so called:—			
1. Completion of the St. George's Lighthouse	2,234	04	27
2. Works of improvement at the St. George's Chatal	5,217	16	35
3. Construction of a steam-boat quay at Sulina	3,514	21	31
4. Strengthening the heads of the piers at the Sulina Mouth ...	1,229	42	16
5. Building three workmen's cottages at Sulina	1,080	29	11

6. Purchase of materials for probable prolongation of the South Pier	4,126	28	30
7. Steam dredging...	2,558	08	07
8. Hand dredging	798	11	33
9. Maintenance of buoys, bollards, &c....	2,829	02	16
10. Enlarging cemetery at Sulina	13	39	34
11. Preparatory expenses for new seaman's hospital	138	12	15

Chapter 6.

Works of maintenance :—

Repairs to the piers at the Sulina Mouth	11,626	44	10
Repairs of works in the Sulina Branch...	604	11	03

Chapter 7.

Purchase of materials and plant in general	8,987	40	04
Total of Technical expenditure	50,059	39	01

Title III.—Re-imbursement of Loan and Miscellaneous Expenses.

	Ducats.	Ps.	P.
1°. Re-imbursement of two instalments, each of 100,000 marks, falling due 30th June and 31st December, 1865, of the loan of 800,000 marks, contracted at Hamburg in 1862	31,709	31	07
2°. Interest on this loan in 1865, @ 6 per cent.	4,477	21	33
3°. Loss on exchange	4	01	13
4°. Gratuities	378	36	14
5°. Commissions to Agents abroad	335	06	38
6°. Miscellaneous general expenses	317	17	19
Total of loan and miscellaneous expenditure	37,222	23	04

Recapitulation of Expenditure.

Expenses of administration	19,661	18	31
Technical service and works	50,059	39	01
Re-imbursement of loan and other expenses...	37,222	23	04
Total	106,943	34	36

Balance.

Receipts ...	...	...	117,405	29	39
Expenditure	...	...	106,943	34	36
			10,461	41	03

1 ducat (11 francs 85½ centimes) = 46 Galatz piastres of 40 paras.

EXPLANATIONS.

I.—Navigation Dues levied at Sulina in 1865.

These dues are levied by the European Commission, by virtue of Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris of the 30th March, 1856, to cover the expenditure devoted to the improvement of the Mouths of the Danube. The collection is effected on the basis of the Tariff joined to the Public Act signed at Galatz on the 2nd November, 1865. It includes as well the dues imposed on the navigation for the local pilotage, and for the keeping up of the light-houses which mark the Danube Mouths.

In 1865, the gross produce of the dues levied at Sulina amounted to the sum of 941,245 francs 83¾ centimes. It is composed of the following items :—

	Frs.	Cs.
Dues paid by sailing or steam vesssels (except packet boats)	917,240	19¾
,, ,, packet-boats	11,135	25
,, ,, lighters	7,038	50
,, ,, rafts	4,300	00
,, police fines	1,531	89
	941,245	83¾

	Frs.	Cs.		
From this sum was deducted—				
For local pilot service	53,995	56		
For service of the light-houses...	47,804	51		
Together ...	101,800	07	101,800	07
The net produce is then reduced to			Frs. 839,445	76¾

or 70,541 ducats 30 piastres 11 paras.

II.—Debt of the European Commission.

The loan of 800,000 bank marks, contracted at Hamburgh in 1862, having been entirely reimbursed (the last instalment was paid on the 30th June, 1866), the debt of the European Commission does not, beyond the credit of the Ottoman Government not yet due, comprise more than a capital of £10,000 sterling, borrowed in London in the month of December, 1865, and the amount of the 10 per cent. bonds issued in 1866.

The London loan will be repaid the 15th December next, so that the bearers of the 10 per cent. bonds will be, after that date, the only creditors enjoying a privilege upon the produce of the dues levied at Sulina. These bonds, of which the issue cannot exceed 45,000 ducats, are redeemable in two years.

The Commission must, however, in order to complete the improvement of the Mouth and Branch of Sulina, contract a new loan of about three millions of francs, to the extinction of which

the net produce of the dues that it levies by virtue of the Treaty of Paris will be also pledged. This produce amounted,

In 1861,	to the sum of	...	...	...	...	62,038	ducats.
„ 1862,	„	„	...	...	...	...	62,773	„
„ 1863,	„	„	...	...	...	...	78,976	„
„ 1864,	„	„	...	...	...	...	92,885	„
„ 1865,	„	„	...	...	...	...	70,541	„

The mean produce of these five years being 73,440 ducats, or about 866,000 francs.

Galatz, the 13th October, 1866.

(Signed) A. DE KREMER.
ED. ENGELHARDT.
J. STOKES.
TECCIO DE BAYO.
SAINT PIERRE.
OFFENBERG.
AHMET RASSIM.

(1841.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 13, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Mexico, containing a Decree of the Emperor Maximilian, dated the 12th October, 1866, sanctioning the transfer from the Louisiana Company of Tehuantepec of their concession for a railway across the isthmus of that name to a new Company formed at New York, and styled the "New York and Tehuantepec Railroad and Steamship Company."

(1868.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 13, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Board of Health to the effect that the Port of London is considered suspected of cholera morbus, and all the other ports of England free from the same disorder since the 22nd of November last.

War Office, Pall Mall,
14*th December*, 1866.

COMMISSARIAT DEPARTMENT.

Ensign Frederick Henry Bridgman, from 74th Foot, Acting Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General, to be Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Dated 21st November, 1866.

Ensign Charles W. B. M'Kenzie, from 71st Foot, Acting Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General, to be Deputy-Assistant Commissary-General. Dated 22nd November, 1866.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend George Ruggles Fisher, M.A., Chaplain of the Fourth Class, from half-pay, to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 21st October, 1866.

Admiralty, 13th December, 1866.

Mr. Duncan McVeau has this day been promoted to the rank of Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 4th December, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Jeremiah Giles Pilcher, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th November, 1866.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham.

Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia.

Alfred Edward Lawson Lowe, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th December, 1866.

Southern Regiment of Nottinghamshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant James Davidson to be Captain, vice Hadden, deceased. Dated 8th December, 1866.

Cornet John Henry Gill to be Lieutenant, vice Davidson, promoted. Dated 8th December, 1866.

William Byerley Paget, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Gill, promoted. Dated 8th December, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain G. L. Cuming in the 2nd Royal Cheshire Militia. Dated 4th December, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 18 1866.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, December 15, 1866.

NOTICE is hereby given that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public on and after Thursday next, the 20th instant, under the usual regulations.

War Office, December 18, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of His Highness Ismail Pacha, Viceroy of Egypt, to be an Honorary Member of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, December 14, 1866.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Gerard Francis Gould, Esq., now a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Buenos Ayres.

(1836).

Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 17, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a despatch from Her Majesty's Minister

at Rio de Janeiro, enclosing the following translation of a Brazilian Decree regulating the mode by which certain alterations made by a recent law in the character of the Bank of Brazil are to be carried out :—

(Decree).

Ministry of Finance,

No. 3720 *of* 18*th October*, 1866.

PUTS in execution the law, No. 1349 of 12th September last in the part relative to the emission of the Bank of Brazil, and to the payment of the debt of the treasury to said bank.

In consideration of the Bank of Brazil having ceased to enjoy the faculty of emitting notes at sight, to bearer, because of the condition being accepted of the law, No. 1349 of 12th September last, by the Committee of the General Assembly of Shareholders of said bank, competently authorized to stipulate with the Government the renovation of the contract celebrated, in virtue of the law, No. 683 of 5th July, 1853, as shown by the agreement of 11th inst. between the Government and said Commission, and making use of the power which Art. 1st, § 10, of the 1st of the laws cited above, confers, I will and decree the following :—

Art 1st. All paper of whatsoever quality, rendered useless or not, signed or unsigned, the respective check books (from whence the bank notes are cut), and any other thing relating to the emission of the Bank of Brazil, existing either in the bank itself or in its branches, shall be transmitted by the bank to the Sinking Fund Office.

§ 1. Both the paper and the other things of which this Article treats, shall be received by inventory in duplicate, one copy remaining with the bank, the other in the Sinking Fund Office, after the necessary minutes shall have been made.

§ 2, After the paper and other inutilized objects shall have been taken to the Sinking Fund, they shall be then and there immediately burnt with all the formalities enjoined by Art. 13.

§ 3. The surplus paper, both signed and unsigned of the effective emission of the Head Office (say Bank), on 11th instant, and that of its branches, on the dates indicated in Art. 10, which is in a perfect state, shall, after being received by the Sinking Fund establishment, be kept in the substitution department; in special coffers, one of which being for the signed and the other for the unsigned notes of which the same functionaries and employés of the coffers of the department shall keep the keys.

Art. 2nd. The notes of the bank taken into the Sinking Fund establishment, must not, under any pretext whatever, be emitted, except under the conditions and in cases marked in the present decree.

Sole paragraph.—Every and any functionary or employé of the Sinking Fund Office who shall emit or consent to the emission of notes, which shall not be in substitution of those which are badly torn, or for other reasons such as ought to be legally withdrawn from circulation, shall be punished by the penalties of Art. 175 of the Criminal Code.

Art. 3rd. The direction of the operations of changing and substituting, as well as that of other formalities relating to the emission of the bank, excepting that of signature, belongs to the administrative "junta" of the Sinking Fund Office, its members belonging thereto, and the respective service pertaining to the (service of the) substituting of notes department of the said establishment.

Art. 4th. The substitution of the notes of the

bank, which from being torn, or from appearing to be forged, or from other motives, ought to be legally withdrawn from circulation, shall be made by the surplus notes, of which Art. 1st, § 3 treats, or by others of a new pattern engraved at the expense of the bank.

Art. 5th. The signature of the notes of the bank which are to circulate by substitution in conformity with the preceding Articles, shall continue to be done as heretofore.

§ 1. The necessary writing being completed, the masses of notes for signature shall be transmitted to the bank by the Sinking Fund Office, accompanied by a memorandum in duplicate with the necessary declaration as to the quantity of the masses and of the notes, their numbers, series, and value ; and the bank, to legalize the delivery, shall pass the competent receipt on one of the memoranda, which shall be restituted when they shall be returned to the Sinking Fund Office.

§ 2. The return of the signed notes to the Sinking Fund Office shall be accompanied by a specification of their numbers, series, value, and signers—signed by them in order to serve in any ulterior examination.

Art. 6th. For the payment of the sum of 11,000,000$000 to which § 4 of the 1st Art. of the law 1349 of 12th September, 1866, refers, the proper edict and advertisements preceding the same, the change of notes of the bank for paper money to that amount shall be effected, the Sinking Fund Office stamping each one of the notes which shall be changed with a die of the word "inutilizada" (rendered useless), and putting them into a special coffer.

Art 7th. As soon as the changing of the above-mentioned sum of 11,000,000$000, the inutilized notes shall be sent to the bank, and

the directory of the said bank shall give to the Treasury in exchange for them an acquittance of the sum above referred to, giving back to them the documents pertaining to the loan, to which the Art. 57 of the statutes of 31st August, 1853, refer.

Art. 8th. As the Treasury Bills which the bank now has in its safe to the amount of 3,837,700$000 fall due, they shall be paid to the bank in its own notes, previously stamped and inutilized in the Treasury, which shall emit a like sum, in lieu of them, in paper money, which shall be furnished by the Sinking Fund Office, in conformity with Art. 1st, § 5, of the before cited law of 12th September of present year.

Art. 9th. Within 6 months' date of the publication of this decree, the Bank shall cause the bullion which it has in its vaults to be sold, converting its product into notes of said Bank which shall be immediately stamped and inutilized; and as fast as the said notes become inutilized, they shall send them to the Sinking Fund Office with an account of the sale of bullion.

§ 1. The Sinking Fund Office shall, in conformity with Art. 1st, § 5th of the above cited law, go on delivering to the Treasury in paper money, a sum equal to the inutilized notes received in virtue of this Article.

§ 2. The term of six months, marked in this Article, having elapsed, the Sinking Fund Office shall transmit to the Treasury, an account of the notes inutilized, as also of the bullion sold invested in the cancelling of the notes referred to.

Art. 10th. The bullion existing in the coffers of the branches of the Bank of Brazil, shall also be sold within the period of 6 months, to commence from the day in which the Presidents of the respective provinces shall present to them an

authentic copy of this decree, and the product of the same, converted into notes of the same branch, in conformity with the preceding Article, and the said notes, as fast as they become inutilized, shall be taken in, and together with the account of sale of the bullion, remitted to the Treasury, which will transmit them to the Bank, and this again to the Sinking Fund Office.

Art 11th. The Minister of Finance, consulting with the Directory of the Bank, shall determine as to the proportion between the quantity of notes, of the head bank, and that of each one of the branches that ought to be cancelled, with the product of the reserved bullion of the same bank ; which bank may effect the carrying from one to another (of the coffers of the branches) the portion of bullion (or its equivalent in paper money) which it may judge necessary for that effect.

Art. 12th. The Bank shall also transmit to the Sinking Fund Office, being previously stamped and inutilized, the notes which it may cancel in virtue of § 6, Art. 1st, of the above cited law of 12th September, and the amount of which shall be fixed yearly by decree of the Government, in the ratio of 5 to 8 per cent. of the emission of the same bank, which may remain in circulation after the dispositions of Arts. 6, 8, 9, and 10, shall be carried into execution.

Art. 13th. The burning of the notes substituted inutilized, of which Arts. 6 and 8 treat, shall be effected in the bank, in presence of a delegate of the Government, and the others in the Sinking Fund establishment, in presence of the respective "junta," and a representative of the bank—the competent edicts and advertisements preceding the operation, and the necessary minutes made in duplicate for the bank

and for the Government, or for the Sinking Fund Office.

Art. 14th. When the bank shall have occasion to proceed to the substitution of its notes, the Sinking Fund Office shall announce by edicts, affixed to public places, and transcribed repeatedly in the periodical journals, the time within which the said substitution should terminate, from which time forward the notes shall only be substituted for ten months, at a discount of 10 per cent. in each month, until they become of no value whatever, in conformity with Art. 5th of the Law No. 54, of 6th October, 1835.

Art. 15th. The abatement or total value of the notes not substituted shall revert to the bank, in benefit of same.

Art. 16th. As soon as the discount shall commence, in conformity with the preceding Articles, the notes changed in the bank and in its respective branches, at their value, and remitted by the bank to the Sinking Fund Office, where they shall be changed for others of an equivalent nominal value.

Art. 17th. The operations of which the present decree treats, have nothing in common in the treasury, in the treasuries of finance, and Sinking Fund Office, with the operations of the public funded debt, and substitution of paper money, and the respective books shall be kept entirely separate and distinct.

Sole paragraph. In the books relating to the changing and substitution of the notes of the bank, the rules established for similar operations in paper money shall be observed.

Art 18th. The responsibility of the employés of the Sinking Fund Office, as to the value of amounts consisting of notes and other objects of the emission of the Bank of Brazil ; their duties and obligations, and the method to be used in

the changing and substitution of the notes shall be governed by the disposition of the rules and decisions of the Government, on the changing, substitution, and cancelling of paper money.

Art 19th. The treasurer and other employés of the department for substituting notes in the Sinking Fund Office, who are obliged to give security, shall ratify for the due effect of the present decree, and within the term which may be marked for them, the security given to the public treasury.

Art. 20th. Should the employés of the substitution department of the Sinking Fund not be sufficiently numerous for the operations of which this Decree treats, the Minister of Finance shall name, *ad interim* those who shall be indispensable, preferring the employés of extinct departments, and those pensioned (for long service,) and arbitrating to them reasonable gratuities. Zacarias Goes de Vasconcellos, of my Council, Senator of the Empire, President of the Council of Ministers, Minister and Secretary of State for the affairs of Finance, and President of the Tribunal of Ministers—say the National Treasury. Let him so have understood it, and cause it to be put in execution.

Palace of Rio de Janeiro, 18th October, 1866, 45th year of the independence of the Empire, with the sign manual of His Majesty the Emperor.

ZACARIAS GOES DE VASCONCELLOS.

(1902.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 17, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,

a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon to the effect that by an Official Notification, dated the 14th instant, London is declared to be free from cholera.

War Office, Pall Mall,
18th December, 1866.

Scots Fusilier Regiment of Foot Guards, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Lionel Edward Massey to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Charles George Tottenham, who retires. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Ensign and Lieutenant Barrington Bulkley Douglas Campbell to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable L. E. Massey. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Inigo Richmond Jones, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign and Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Campbell. Dated 18th December, 1866.

1*st Foot*, Major George Frederick Berry, from the 12th Foot, to be Major, vice Henry Francis Bythesea, who exchanges. Dated 18th December, 1866.

12*th Foot*, Major Henry Francis Bythesea, from the 1st Foot, to be Major, vice George Frederick Berry, who exchanges. Dated 18th December, 1866.

13*th Foot*, Captain Alphonso C ary, from the 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Gould, who exchanges. Dated 4th December, 1866.

20*th Foot*, Ensign Henry Longfield Ricard to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George E. Bolger, who retires. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Nicholas Plunkett Dunne, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Ricard. Dated 18th December, 1866.

24*th Foot*, Lieutenant Francis Hibbert to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant John Moore Gurnel Tongue, promoted. Dated 29th August, 1866.

25*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Henry Hickman Mulcahy, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Hamlet Wade Thompson, deceased. Dated 18th December, 1866.

27*th Foot*, Surgeon Allen Bryson, M.D., from the 76th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice William Arthur Thompson, M.B., who exchanges. Dated 18th December, 1866.

30*th Foot*, Staff-Surgeon Alfred Hooper to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Raphael Woolman Read, appointed to the Staff. Dated 18th December, 1866.

31*st Foot*, Robert William Fergusson Phillips, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Arthur Annesley Yeo, who retires. Dated 18th December, 1866.

32*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Randle Jackson to be Captain, by purchase, vice R. E. Stuart Harington, who retires. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Ensign Henry Willoughby Trevelyan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Jackson. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Arthur William Hammans, Gent., to be Ensign. by purchase, vice Trevelyan. Dated 18th December, 1866.

36*th Foot*, Lieutenant Hardinge Richard Stracey, to be Captain, by purchase, vice Edwin William Philips, who retires. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Ensign William Archibald Smail to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Straccy. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Wilson James Browne, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Smail. Dated 18th December, 1866.

54*th Foot*, Ensign Charles Villiers Ibbetson, from the 85th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Dodgson Hamilton Thompson, appointed to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 18th December, 1866.

59*th Foot*, Captain Littleton Albert Powys, from the 83rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Charles Stuart Baker, promoted to a half-pay Majority, without purchase. Dated 18th December, 1866.

70*th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry F. Greatwood to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Arthur Stronge Gilbert, promoted. Dated 27th November, 1866.

76*th Foot*, Surgeon William Arthur Thompson, M.B, from the 27th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Allen Bryson, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 18th December, 1866.

79*th Foot*, Lieutenant Neil Campbell to be Captain, without purchase, vice William Henry Mackesy, appointed to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1866.

Ensign Charles Lucas Methuen to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Neil Campbell. Dated 30th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Francis Neilson Chalmers, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, without purchase, vice Methuen. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Lieutenant Herbert Herbert Stepney to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Charles E. McMurdo, promoted. Dated 8th October, 1866.

84*th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Ralph Bromhead to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Thomas Griffin, promoted. Dated 9th November, 1866.

103*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Alexander William B. Caldecott to be Captain, vice Edward Walter Trevor, appointed to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1866.

Ensign Thomas Price to be Lieutenant, vice Caldecott. Dated 30th November, 1866.

Ensign Edmond George Powys Wood to be Lieutenant, vice Arthur Melville Hogg, appointed to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Fisher Heathcote, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Price. Dated 18th December, 1866.

105*th Foot*, Ensign E. W. Gresham Williams to be Lieutenant, vice Henry William Blair, appointed to the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 13th November, 1866.

106*th Foot*, Ensign Edmund Rogers Coker to be Lieutenant, vice George John Coulson, appointed to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet Robert Nicholai Harrington, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Coker. Dated 18th December, 1866.

108*th Foot*, Ensign Philip Justice to be Lieutenant, vice Arthur Rowley Heyland, appointed to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 30th November, 1866.

Ensign Sydenham Renaud to be Lieutenant, vice Francis William Bedingfeld, who resigns. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Gentleman Cadet John Liptrott, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Justice. Dated 18th December, 1866.

1st West India Regiment, Major William McBean to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Bowland Moffat, who retires. Dated 18th December, 1866.

4th West India Regiment, Captain Thomas Tyler Gould, from the 13th Foot, to be Captain, vice Cary, who exchanges. Dated 4th December, 1866.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Raphael Woolman Read, from the 30th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff-Surgeon Alfred Hooper, appointed to the 30th Foot. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Staff-Surgeon Thomas Frederick Wall having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Staff Surgeon-Major. Dated 20th November, 1866.

BREVET.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Fellowes, Unattached, late Assistant Adjutant-General at the Cape of Good Hope, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of the 3rd February, 1866. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain Charles Adolphus de Kantzow, Bengal Staff Corps to be Major. Dated 18th December, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant-Colonel William James Hutchins, half-pay, late 12th Foot, has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission, under the conditions of the Horse Guards' Circular Memorandum of 15th February, 1861. Dated 18th December, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Darwin in the 2nd Derbyshire Militia.

Commissions signed by the Lord Li utenant of the County of Derby.

2nd Derbyshire Militia.

Lieutenant Francis Hallowes to be Captain, vice Darwin, resigned. Dated 14th December, 1866.

Ensign Albert C. Hubbersty to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary), vice Hallowes, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1866.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 21, 1866.

Foreign Office, December 18, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. W. J. Whalley as Consul at Grimsby for the Republic of Haiti.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Señor F. T. Barry as Consul in London for the Republic of the Equator.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Ernesto Basili as Vice-Consul at Glasgow for Her Majesty the Queen of Spain.

Crown Office, December 20, 1866.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Guildford.

Richard Garth, of Wimbledon, in the county of Surrey, Esq., in the room of Sir William Bovill, Knt., who has accepted the office of Chief Justice of the Common Pleas.

Whitehall, December 8, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant Her Royal licenec and authority unto Elizabeth Margaret Hulton, of Droylsden, in the parish of Manchester, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Widow, the relict of Arthur Hyde Hulton, Clerk, sometime Perpetual Curate of Christ's Church, in the borough of Ashton-under-Lyne, in the said county, on behalf of the second son William Edward Montagu Hulton, a minor of the age of eighteen years and upwards, that he may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal grandfather Jonah Harrop, of Bardsley House, in the parish of Ashton-under-Lyne aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, henceforth assume and take the surname of Harrop, in addition to and after that of Hulton, and bear the arms of Harrop quarterly, in the first quarter, with those of Hulton; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(1899.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 20, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a Notification to the effect that all vessels arriving at Malta from Liverpool or London, and furnished with clean bills of health, will be admitted to free pratique.

(1921.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 20, 1866.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received a Notification from Her Majesty's Consul at Ancona to the effect that the quarantine hitherto in vigour upon all arrivals at that place from London, Liverpool, and adjacent ports is revoked, and that all vessels from England with clean bills of health will receive immediate pratique.

Admiralty, 20th December, 1866.

Royal Marine Light Infantry.

The following named Gentlemen have been appointed Second Lieutenants :—

Evelyn James Wheelock Noble. Dated 8th December, 1866.

Edward Rea Milner Crooke. Dated 8th December, 1866.

O'Hare John Tobin. Dated 8th December, 1866.

Arthur Clement Smyth. Dated 8th December, 1866.

John Ernest Bulwer Ward. Dated 8th December, 1866.

Charles Baker Goodrich Dick, Dated 8th December, 1866.
Lourenço Edye. Dated 8th December, 1866.
Algernon St. Leger Burrowes. Dated 8th December, 1866.
John Richmond Jekyll. Dated 8th December, 1866.
Frederick John Short. Dated 8th December 1866.

Admiralty, 18*th December*, 1866.

Commander Edmund Anthony Glynn has been this day promoted to be a Retired Captain, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866.

Admiralty, 19*th December*, 1866.

The following promotions have this day been made :—

Mr. John Watson (A) to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.
Mr. William Landells to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.
Mr. Alfred Lawton to be Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.
Mr. John Watson (B) to be Engineer in Her Majesty Fleet.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 25, 1866.

Foreign Office, December 21, 1866.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of M. Louis van der Spar as Consul at Point de Galle for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

Foreign Office, December 22, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. O. von Ernsthausen as Consul at Calcutta for His Majesty the King of Prussia.

Whitehall, December 19, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Daniel Ferguson, of Burton Constable, in the parish of Swine, in the East Riding of the county of York, Esquire, a Captain in the East York Regiment of Militia, Her Royal licence and authority that, from and immediately after the solemnization of his intended marriage with Ann Eliza Fawsitt, of Beverley, in the said East Riding of the county of York, Spinster, elder of the two daughters and coheirs of John Fawsitt, late of Hunsley House, in the parish of Rowley, in the said county, Esquire, deceased, he may take and thenceforth use the surname of Fawsitt, in addition to and after that of Ferguson, and bear the arms of Fawsitt quarterly with those of Ferguson, and that such surnames and arms may in like manner be taken, borne, and used by the issue of the said intended marriage; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

Admiralty, 20th December, 1866.

Charles Forbes, Esq., M.D., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon, with seniority of 16th December, 1866.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Richard Alison Johnson in the Artillery Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 18th December, 1866.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Assistant-Surgeon William Oxendale Dawson in the 7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 15th December, 1866.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

4th or Royal South Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Frederick William Kirby to be Lieutenant, vice Gilbert, resigned. Dated 18th June, 1866

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 28, 1866.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 28th day of *December*, 1866.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Sir William Bovill, Knight, Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas, and William Robert Seymour Vesey FitzGerald, Esquire, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

Whitehall, December 24, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Most Noble Charles Henry, Duke of Richmond; Sir John Thwaites, Knt.; Colonel Henry Drury Harness, R.E., C.B.; Benjamin Samuel Phillips, Esq, one of the Aldermen of the city of London; Thomas Elliot Harrison, Esq.; and Joseph Prestwich, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for the purpose of ascertaining what supply of unpolluted and wholesome water can be obtained by collecting and storing water in the high grounds of England and Wales, either by the aid of natural lakes or by artificial reservoirs, at a sufficient elevation for the supply of the large towns, and to report,

Firstly. Which of such sources are best suited for the supply of the metropolis and its suburbs; and

Secondly. How the supply from the remaining sources may be most beneficially distributed among the principal towns.

Foreign Office, December 28, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of M. G. Pelloux as Vice-Consul at Saint Mary's, Bathurst, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

War Office, December 27, 1866.

The Queen has appointed Stephen Hewitt O'Bryen, Esq, to be Collector and Receiver of Her Majesty's Revenues at Gibraltar.

Whitehall, December 22, 1866.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Richard Decie, of Bockleton, in the county of

Worcester, Esq., late a Captain in the Royal Engineers, and to Arabella, his wife, only surviving child and heir of William George Prescott, late of Clarence, in the parish of Roehampton, in the county of Surrey, Esq., deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that they may, in compliance with an injunction contained in certain deeds of indenture, executed by Arabella Prescott, of Kyre House, in the parish of Tenbury, in the county of Worcester, and of Clarence aforesaid, widow and relict of the aforesaid George Prescott, and mother of the said Arabella Decie, take and henceforth use the surname of Prescott in addition to and before that of Decie, and that he, the said Richard Decie, may be called Richard Prescott-Decie, and that she, the said Arabella Decie, may be called Arabella Prescott-Decie, and that he, the said Richard Decie, may bear the arms of Prescott quarterly with those of Decie, and that such surname and arms may in like manner be taken, used, and borne by the issue of their marriage, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect :

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

War Office, Pall Mall,

28th December, 1866.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to command that the 45th or Nottinghamshire Regiment may in future bear the title of "Sherwood Foresters," with reference to the traditions of the county of Nottingham, and in consideration of the Regiment's distinguished services.

6th Dragoon Guards, William Robert Phelips, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice Henry Hugh Atherton France, transferred to the 15th Foot. Dated 28th December, 1866.

9th Lancers, Captain and Brevet-Major Charles David Rich to be Major, by purchase, vice Musgrave James Bradley Dyne, who retires. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Lieutenant Perceval Clark to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Rich. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Cornet the Honourable Richard Wogan Talbot to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Clark. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Philip Green, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice the Honourable R. W. Talbot. Dated 28th December, 1866.

11th Hussars.

For Alan C. Gardner, *Gent.*, to be Cornet, by purchase, &c., as stated in the Gazette of 27th July last,

Read, Lieutenant Alan C. Gardner, *from the Royal Artillery*, to be Cornet, by purchase, &c.

15th Hussars, Lieutenant James Le Messurier to be Captain, by purchase, vice James Alston Clark, who retires. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Cornet William Macalpine Leny to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Le Messurier. Dated 28th December, 1866.

16th Lancers, Ankerville Scott, Gent., to be Cornet, by purchase, vice F. Bagnalla Wardroper, who retires. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel John Worgan, on the Seconded List, to be Colonel. Dated 26th April, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Wray, C.B., on the Seconded List, to be Colonel. Dated 26th April, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Gordon Petrie to be Colonel, vice Arnold Burrowes Kemball, C.B., K.C.S.I., removed to the Seconded List. Dated 26th April, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel James George Balmain, on the Seconded List, to be Colonel. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Selby to be Colonel, vice William Kinnaird Worster, removed to the Seconded List. Dated 12th June, 1866.

Captain Charles James Barton to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Petrie. Dated 26th April, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major George Beresford Brydges Holmes to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Selby. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

Second Captain Charles Pasley Roberts to be Captain, vice Barton. Dated 17th August, 1866.

Second Captain Charles Johnson to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Holmes. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

Second Captain and Brevet-Major Thomas Elliott Hughes to be Captain, vice Robert Murray, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 5th October, 1866.

Lieutenant Edward Draper Elliott to be Second Captain, vice Brevet-Major Hughes. Dated 25th June, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Francis Gibb to be Second Captain, vice Roberts. Dated 17th August, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Lind Armstrong to be Second Captain, vice Johnson. Dated 3rd October, 1866.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Delafosse to be Second Captain, vice Charles Edward Armstrong, trans-

ferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 5th October, 1866.

The resignation of Lieutenant Alan C. Gardner, which appeared in the Gazette of the 27th July last, has been cancelled. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Second Captain Frederick Augustus Anley to be Adjutant, vice Peter Edward Hill, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 14th November, 1866.

Second Captain Richard Newton Young to be Adjutant, vice Michael Tweedie, who resigns the Adjutaney only. Dated 16th November, 1866.

The Seconding of Colonel W. K. Worster and Colonel A. B. Kemball, C.B., K.C.S.I., and the transfer to the Bengal Staff Corps of Captain R. Murray and Second Captain C. E. Armstrong, to bear date 24th March, 1865; and the ranks and dates of promotion of the undermentioned Officers to be altered as follows:—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Richard Hawkins, who died on the 2nd August, 1865, to be Colonel. Dated 24th March, 1865.

Captain and Brevet-Major Benjamin Campbell Hitchins, who died on 23rd June, 1865, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th June, 1865.

Lieutenant Alexander Thomas Wallace, who died on 9th April, 1866, to be Second Captain. Dated 16th March, 1866.

Alteration of Dates.

Colonel J. L. Barrow (seconded) to 24th March, 1865.

Colonel G. P. Eaton to 24th March, 1865.

Colonel J. D. Mein to 5th June, 1865.

Colonel W. D. Aitken (Supernumerary) to 3rd August, 1865.

Colonel C. B. Fuller to 3rd August, 1865.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Hicks to 24th March, 1865.
Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. Sandford (since retired on full-pay) to 24th March, 1865.
Lieutenant-Colonel C. H. Harrison to 20th April, 1865.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Elwyn to 24th June, 1865.
Lieutenant-Colonel T. T. Haggard (Supernumerary) to 3rd August, 1865.
Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Morse to 3rd August, 1865.
Lieutenant-Colonel D. G. Anderson to 14th September, 1865.
Lieutenant-Colonel J. Shekleton to 16th March, 1866.
Lieutenant-Colonel E. H. Couchman to 12th June, 1866.
Captain and Brevet-Major W. Wilson to 24th March, 1865.
Captain E. S. Milman to 24th March, 1865.
Captain G. Twiss to 24th March, 1865.
Captain W. D. Forster to 20th April, 1865.
Captain T. N. Harward to 10th June, 1865.
Captain G. F. Blair to 24th June, 1865.
Captain F. Swanson (seconded) to 3rd August, 1865.
Captain T. B. Heathorn (since retired on half-pay) to 3rd August, 1865.
Captain F. H. McLeod to 20th September, 1865.
Captain De Vic Carey to 22nd December, 1865.
Second Captain A Dixon to 24th March, 1865.
Second Captain A. P. Bainbridge to 24th March, 1865.
Second Captain W. J. Finch to 24th March, 1865.
Second Captain S. Penny to 20th April, 1865.

Second Captain J. R. Macleay to 10th June, 1865.

Second Captain H. J. Thornton to 24th June, 1865.

Second Captain E. T. Pottinger to 3rd August, 1865.

Second Captain B, H Pottinger to 14th September, 1865.

Second Captain R. S. Robinson to 20th September, 1865.

Second Captain M. H. C. B. Steinman to 23rd November, 1865.

Second Captain E. H. Ryan to 22nd December, 1865.

Second Captain J. H. Lloyd to 15th February, 1866.

Second Captain E. T. Ouchterlony to 21st March, 1866.

Second Captain A. T. B. Stevenson to 10th April, 1866.

Second Captain C. G. Battiscombe to 26th April, 1866.

Second Captain T. H. Ouchterlony to 1st May, 1866.

Second Captain C. A. Baylay to 10th May, 1866.

Second Captain P. B. Raikes to 29th May, 1866.

Second Captain R. T. Hamond to 12th June, 1866.

Second Captain C. E. Pritchard to 22nd August, 1866.

Scots Fusilier Guards, The second Christian name of Ensign and Lieutenant Jones is *Richmund*, and not *Richmond*, as stated in Gazette of 18th instant.

2nd Regiment of Foot, Captain William Stevens, from the 67th Foot, to be Captain, vice Grierson, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

12*th Foot*, Edward Maclean Showers, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Patrick Douglas Jeffreys, transferred to the 88th Foot. Dated 28th December, 1866.

15*th Foot*, Ensign Henry Bonnor Maurice to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Gwennap Dennis Moore, who retires. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Cornet Henry Hugh Atherton France, from the 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Ensign, vice Maurice. Dated 28th December, 1866.

16*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Henry Bayly Payn, from the 35th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Richardson, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

20*th Foot*, John Kennedy McCausland, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Francis John Gilbert Cook, who retires, on appointment as Deputy Assistant Commissary-General. Dated 28th December, 1866.

29*th Foot*, Lieutenant the Honourable William Sydney Hilton Jolliffe to be Captain, by purchase, vice John North Bomford, who retires. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Ensign Clement Astley Paston Cooper to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable W. S. H. Jolliffe. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Robert Henry Anstice, Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Cooper. Dated 28th December, 1866.

35*th Foot*, Captain John Alexander Caldecott, from the 38th Foot, to be Captain, vice Sherlock, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Lieutenant Mallcott Sydney Richardson, from the

16th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Payn, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

36*th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel William MacMahon, C.B., from the 44th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Hort, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

37*th Foot*, Captain Alfred Robert Ord, from 80th Foot, to be Captain, vice Dew, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

38*th Foot*, Captain Woodford W. Sherlock, from the 35th Foot, to be Captain, vice Caldecott, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

41*st Foot*, Lieutenant Montagu T. Ball Michell to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Ashton Henry Warner, promoted. Dated 7th November, 1866.

44*th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Josiah Hort, from the 36th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel MacMahon, C.B., who exchanges. Lated 28th December, 1866.

45*th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Lambard, from the 54th Eoot, to be Lieutenant, vice Smart, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

54*th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry John de Berniere Smart, from the 45th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Lambard, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

67*th Foot*, Captain John F. A. Grierson, from the 2nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Stevens, who exchanges. Dated 28th December, 1866.

73*rd Foot*, George Lewis Cuming, Esq., to be Paymaster, vice Paymaster, with the honorary

rank of Major, Joseph Hely, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 6th December, 1866.

80*th Foot*, Captain Frederick Napleton Dew, from 37th Foot, to be Captain, vice Ord, who exchanges. Dated 16th October, 1866.

82*nd Foot*, Ensign William Andrews Dixon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James Johnston, who retires. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Sydney Edward Underwood. Gent., to be Ensign, by purchase, vice Dixon. Dated 28th December, 1866.

88*th Foot*, Ensign Patrick Douglas Jeffreys, from the 12th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Pendarves Walter Tremenheere, who retires. Dated 28th December, 1866.

91*st Foot*, The first Christian name of Lieutenant Robertson is *Divie*, and not *Davie*, as stated in the Gazette of 4th instant.

95*th Foot*, Ensign Edward Maclean Showers, from the 12th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Ponsonby Shaw, promoted. Dated 28th December, 1866.

1*st West India Regiment*, The appointment of Ensign George Vautier Lambe, which was notified in the Gazette of the 4th instant, has been cancelled. Dated 28th December, 1866.

2*nd West India Regiment*, Captain Nicholas Thomas Cuffe Herbert, from half-pay, late 4th West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Robert Trotter Knox, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 28th December, 1866.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Robert Halpin, B A., Chaplain of Second Class, to be Chaplain of First Class. Dated 5th December, 1866.

The Reverend R. L. M'Ghee, M.A., Chaplain of Second Class, to be Chaplain of First Class. Dated 5th December, 1866.

MILITARY STORE DEPARTMENT.

Deputy Assistant-Superintendent of Stores Noblett Phillips, from half-pay, to be Deputy Assistant-Superintendent of Stores. Dated 28th December, 1866.

BREVET.

The third Christian name of General Wallington is *Grenado*, and not as stated in the Gazette of 21st August last.

Lieutenant-Colonel Miller Clifford, Royal Artillery, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 28th September, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Warren Walker, Royal Engineers, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 30th September, 1866.

Paymaster, with the honorary rank of Captain, Francis Freeman White, 24th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 11th July, 1866.

The following promotions to take place in consequence of an augmentation of three General Officers to the establishment of Royal Marines:—

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Edmund Walcott, Royal Artillery. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major William John Bolton, Royal Artillery. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain and Brevet-Major Philip Ravenhill, Royal Engineers. Dated 10th November, 866.

To be Majors.

Captain Thomas Andrew L. Murray, Royal Engineers. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain William Lawtie Morrison, Royal Engineers. Dated 10th November, 1866.

Captain Thomas Inglis, Royal Engineers. Dated 10th November, 1866.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of General William R. C. Costley, Bengal Infantry, on the 16th September, 1866, and Lieutenant-General Archibald Fullerton Richmond, C.B., Bengal Infantry, on the 25th August, 1866 :—

Lieutenant-General Julius George Griffith, Royal (late Bombay) Artillery, to be General. Dated 17th September, 1866.

Major-General Benjamin Robertson Hitchins, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 26th August 1866.

Major-General Watkin Lewis Williams, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 17th September, 1866.

Colonel William Edward Mulcaster, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major-General. Dated 26th August, 1866.

Colonel Orfeur Cavanagh, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major-General. Dated 17th September, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers, who have retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank as follows :—

Colonel James Case Scott, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major-General. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Robert Wallace, K.C.S.I., Bombay Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Cadenhead, Madras Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Swinton, Madras Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Major Henry Lane, Bengal Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Major James Tickell, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Major George Thomas Dick, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Major Alexander Beresford Read, Madras Infantry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Deputy Inspector-General John Macpherson, M.D., Bengal Establishment, to be Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Deputy Inspector-General John Templeman Maule, Madras Establishment, to be Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 28th December, 1866.

MEMORANDUM.

Major and Brevet-Colonel the Honourable Leicester Curzon, half-pay, late Rifle Brigade, has been permitted to take and use the surname of Smyth, in lieu of Curzon.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to command that Commissions shall not in future be issued to Regimental Officers of the British Army in India

for any superior local rank granted in that country and that Lieutenant-Colonels, Majors, and Captains who have been Gazetted to local rank in India since the 4th July, 1865, inclusive, shall not receive Commissions for such rank. Dated 28th December, 1866.

Admiralty, 26th December, 1866.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Paymaster, in Her Majesty's Fleet; viz:—

James Newton Robinson, Esq.
John Bremner, Esq.,
Thomas Henry Lovelace Bowling, Esq.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant William Thomas, of the 3rd or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 19th December, 1866.

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